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Have A Heart, Officer

It wasn't really bribery. But pretty, 22-year-old Gloria Dewar is offering her Valentine Day heart to Constable Keith Hollett. It was supposed to soften his

resolve to write a ticket for overtime parking. Men bought most of the St. Valentine cards. City stores reported a boom. (Times Photo.)

Operations Of Alleged Bookmakers Outlined

Prosecutor Claims Two Factions Conspired To Control Racing Wagering In Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Feb. 14 (CP) — Prosecutor Gordon W. Scott said in Assize Court today the crown will prove that two bookmaking factions conspired with horse race publishing business to control betting in Vancouver during the last eight years.

Involved in this setup were the 26 men and one woman charged with conspiring to operate betting houses, the prosecutor said in his hour-long address to the 10-man, two-woman jury.

It took two days to choose the jury from among 400 citizens and the trial proper got under way this morning. It is expected to last about three weeks.

Mr. Scott outlined briefly the activities of Robert S. (Blackie) Black-James Robertson group; Leo Bancroft-Bruce Snider operation, and the publishing operations of E. Massie White, Laura and Philip Cook.

"The crown will produce evidence that all these people conspired together to keep betting

houses in Vancouver," said Scott. He added that the evidence as a whole would show "that the bookies and the publishers are entirely interdependent; that a bookie can not carry on his business successfully without the aid of publications and that the publishing business could not possibly exist without the bookmakers' patronage."

He said the offices for one group were in an attic. Four telephones were listed to two music studios, a dressmaker and a public stenographer.

Scott said there was no dressmaking equipment, typewriter or pianos in the premises. Entry to it was gained through a trap door.

1,100 Communists Beaten Back By Fighting Allies

Red Truce Negotiators Promise To Unveil New Post Armistice Plans Next Saturday

MUNDUNG VALLEY, Eastern Korea, Feb. 14 (AP) — An estimated 1,100 Communists tonight attacked Allied positions in the Mundung Valley but were thrown back after an hour-long struggle.

The attack, the largest in four weeks or more, was designed to cut through Allied defenses. There was no estimate of enemy casualties.

One Allied unit was almost surrounded for 30 minutes, but threw back the Reds without suffering a single casualty.

The attackers were believed to be Chinese.

PANMUNJOM, Korea, Feb. 14 (UP) — The Communists presented a revised program for exchanging war prisoners today and promised to unveil Saturday a new compromise proposal for a post-armistice peace conference.

Col. George W. Hickman of the United Nations said the Reds' prisoner exchange plan moved closer to Allied thinking on the workings of joint Red-Cross teams to visit prisoners and on a joint committee to supervise the exchange.

But the Reds rejected the Allied

demand that prisoners be given the right to refuse repatriation. For this reason, U.N. staff officers may turn down the revised program.

Liaison officers arranged a meeting of the full truce delegations for 10 a.m. Saturday to hear the promised Communist compromise proposal for a full-dress Korean peace conference.

Striking N.S. Teachers Get National O.K.

OTTAWA, Feb. 14 (BUP) — The Canadian Teachers' Federation announced today that it would give moral and material support to the Nova Scotia teachers on strike for higher pay.

"The national federation ordinarily deplorable action so drastic as to deprive children of their education but it believes the current situation in Nova Scotia to be intolerable," said George S. Croskey, secretary-treasurer of the C.T.F.

He said the federation had decided to "immediately create a C.T.F. special emergency fund by means of which teachers from all provinces may assist their colleagues in Nova Scotia."

More than 200 Cape Breton teachers have gone on strike to enforce their demands for more pay, and another 4,000 in Nova Scotia are considering similar action, Croskey said.

Teachers in the province with one year training beyond junior matriculation at present begin service at \$1,020 per year and after 10 years get \$1,620.

MORROW, ASH TO GET POSTS

Charles W. Morrow, M.L.A. for North Okanagan, will be appointed deputy Speaker, and Arthur Ash, Saanich M.L.A., will be named government whip on the opening day of the Legislature, it was learned today.

The appointments will be made by resolutions introduced in the House.

Donald Brown, Vancouver-Burrard Progressive Conservative member, formerly was deputy Speaker and Morrow was government whip.

Consul Confers With Wismer On U.S. Wines

Possibility of British Columbia admitting American wines and spirits to provincial liquor store shelves was no further advanced following a conference, Wednesday at the Parliament Buildings between United States Consul Frederick Hinke and Attorney General Gordon Wismer.

Mr. Wismer told Mr. Hinke that the contentious question would not be taken up during the forthcoming session of the legislature and that he "had not had the opportunity" to discuss the matter with Col. Donald McGuigan, head of the Liquor Control Board.

Growing U.S. restiveness with the embargo on U.S. wines was reported in exclusive Times dispatches some weeks ago. It is known that the problem has now reached top level, and that U.S. consulates in various Canadian provinces have been making similar representations to the local capitals.

CONTRAVENES TREATIES

The American position is that the arbitrary Canadian embargo — originally agreed upon by an association of liquor commissions, later revoked but not acted upon — is in contravention of the General Agreements on Tariffs and Trade, decided at Geneva, Havana and Torquay, and signed by Canada.

At the latter meeting, American duties on Canadian rye whisky were reduced by about a half.

Today, the states of Washington, Idaho, Oregon and California purchase approximately \$4,000,000 annually of Canadian whisky.

Mr. Hinke told the Times today that he had "no idea" what measures, if any, his government might take to adjust the present unbalance of trade.

"It would seem that some reciprocity was in order," he observed.

Cote Becomes Postmaster

OTTAWA, Feb. 14 (BUP) — Alcide Cote, member of parliament for St. John's-Bellefleur-Naperville, took over as postmaster-general today.

Cote succeeded in the cabinet former Postmaster-General Edouard Rinfret, whose resignation was announced Wednesday by Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent. Rinfret was appointed a judge of the Court of Queen's Bench for Quebec.

VICTORIA'S SHARE OF SCHOOL COSTS INCREASED BY \$101,596 THIS YEAR

Victoria's share of school costs for 1952 is \$101,596 up from last year, it was learned today.

Board of School Trustees for the Greater Victoria district sent to City Hall estimates to meet ordinary expenditures for the year.

Out of a total of \$2,086,336 to be raised by local assessment, Victoria's share on a basis of 1951 taxable values is \$1,252,010.

This compares with last year's share of \$1,150,414.

Increase would amount to slightly over two mills on last year's mill value. Total expenses are up from \$1,908,450 to \$2,086,336, an increase of \$177,886.

Amount to be raised by local assessment in the municipalities is as follows: Esquimalt, \$111,827; Oak Bay, \$313,159; Saanich, \$368,029 and rural, \$41,309.

Commonwealth Prepares To Pay Final Tribute

Requiem Salutes Across Canada

A great silence, broken only by 56-gun salutes in major cities, will stretch across the nation tomorrow in tribute to King George VI.

It will be a day of prayer and all the bustle of the late monarch's busiest realm will stop serenely as he is laid to rest in England.

From the smallest logging camp in British Columbia to the largest trawler off Newfoundland's Grand Banks Canadians will pay homage to the "good man" who was King for 15 years.

The national day of mourning will begin even before the King's funeral cortege moves out of stately Westminster Hall.

Church bells will be tolling out a solemn tribute in Newfoundland at midnight, just as the grey dawn breaks on saddened London.

In Victoria, Edmonton, Regina, Winnipeg, Toronto, Quebec City, Fredericton, Charlottetown, Halifax and St. John's, and in the non-capital cities of Vancouver and Ottawa, the command will be the same.

"The King, our captain-general, is dead. Requiem salute, Fifty-six-gun salute. Sixty-second intervals. Fire!"

And for the next 56 minutes — one for each year of the monarch's life of devotion to his subjects — the salute will thunder out.

Silence and mass prayer will follow.

A British United Press survey showed today that schools, banks, government offices, liquor outlets, major stores and most private offices will close in all 10 provinces.

Special memorial services will be held in every city. Fourteen thousand persons are expected to attend mass prayers at Toronto's Maple Leaf Gardens, another 7,500 at the Edmonton Arena, and still another 4,400 at the Winnipeg Civic Auditorium.

House of Commons workmen today began draping the high arched hall of fame at Ottawa in purple and black crepe in case adverse weather forces the national mourning service indoors.

PEARSON CALLS ON ELIZABETH

LONDON, Feb. 14 (CP) — Canada's External Affairs Minister, L. B. Pearson, called at Buckingham Palace today and paid his respects to the Queen. He was accompanied by the Canadian High Commissioner, L. Dana Wilgress. It was the first time Pearson had seen Elizabeth since he visited the palace last summer to invite her and the Duke of Edinburgh to visit Canada.

Famed Hotel All A-Glitter With Royalty

LONDON, Feb. 14 (Reuters) — Claridge's Hotel, founded more than 100 years ago by a retired butler and his housekeeper wife, is packed with the world's kings and queens and aristocracy, here for the funeral of the King.

Europe's few remaining monarchs nod to each other as they walk down the thick-carpeted corridors. Princes and princesses from the ends of the earth chat over coffee.

Visiting royalty has booked nearly 50 rooms in the hotel, in London's exclusive Mayfair district.

First to arrive were 70-year-old King Gustav Adolf and Queen Louise of Sweden, King Haakon, 80, of Norway, hurried over from Buckingham Palace Wednesday to greet them.

Haakon, an erect six-footer, is the only monarch staying with the British Royal family. They call him "Uncle Charlie."

Claridge's is a sombre place this week despite its glittering clientele. Its orchestra is silent.

As each monarch arrives his flag is unfurled above the roof. By tonight the flags of 16 countries will be fluttering at half-staff.

A corps of detectives has been brought in to guard the visitors.

Queen Visits King's Bier

LONDON, Feb. 14 (AP) — Queen Elizabeth II made a surprise visit to Westminster Hall tonight to join with her people in paying tribute to the King.

She was accompanied to Westminster, where the body lay in state, by her husband, the Duke of Edinburgh, and her sister, Princess Margaret. Neither the Queen nor her sister wore veils.

They were unnoticed by the crowd moving slowly past the catafalque. They stood for 10 minutes beneath a doorway.

Earlier, the Archbishop of Canterbury, Britain's foremost Anglican churchman, bowed in prayer beside the closed coffin.

Sorrowing Britons continued to pay their respects in such numbers that palace officials decided not to shut the great iron-strapped doors of the nine-century-old hall until 6 a.m. Friday.

This is only three and one-half hours before the ceremonial cortege starts for Paddington Station amid the dirges of massed bands and artillery salutes of the state funeral. Originally, it was planned to close the doors at 10 tonight.

Before that hour, it was reported without confirmation that the Duke of Windsor asked to be allowed to stand a watch at the candle-lighting bier, as he and his three brothers died 16 years ago for their father, King George V.

The Duke, who arrived from New York Wednesday, was said to have besought Queen Elizabeth II for Royal permission to stand beside the body of the brother to whom he relinquished the throne.

As the greying Dr. Geoffrey Fisher, Archbishop of Canterbury, bowed for a few minutes in front of the purple-draped catafalque and then turned away through the famed star chamber door, palace officials put their seal to the final order of the funeral march.

The young Queen, her mother, and her sister, Princess Margaret, and the King's sister, the Princess Royal, will ride in a carriage close behind the body.

Labour Code Committee Favors New Formula

By GORDON FORBES, Times Legislative Reporter

Abolition of the government-supervised strike vote is one of the main recommendations made by the special House committee which inquired into the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, it was learned today.

The lengthy report has been submitted by Arthur Ash, Saanich M.L.A., chairman, and will be tabled in the House.

Under the committee's proposal, the government would withdraw from actually running the vote, but would still scrutinize it. If union operation of the vote was considered unsuitable, the Labor Relations Board would have the right to order a new vote.

Implementation of this recommendation by the government would be a great victory for organized labor which has always opposed the government-supervised strike. It has been contended it is an infringement on labor's rights.

MINORITY REPORTS

Arthur Turner, C.C.F. member on the inquiry committee, has submitted a minority report, and so has Alan J. McDonnell, another member who is a Progressive Conservative.

McDonnell objected to abolition of the supervised strike vote. Turner's minority report deals with concessions he felt should have been made to labor, but to which the whole board wouldn't agree.

Another recommendation of the committee would compel the Labor Relations Board to publish written decisions on request of parties involved. This is a partial victory for labor. The board, however, would not have to give reasons for decisions. This was one of labor's big demands.

The inquiry committee also has recommended creation of a labor-management council to bring about mutual understanding. It also thinks the L.R.B. shouldn't be called upon to decide jurisdiction in any plans.

Another recommendation calls for wiping out the section of the act which allows the L.R.B. to go over the heads of union leaders and order a strike vote when an offer of settlement has been made. A majority of the committee felt this section contrary to the principle of collective bargaining.

SPECIAL ISSUE EXTRA COPIES TO BE PRINTED

On the national day of mourning tomorrow for King George VI, the regular edition of The Victoria Times will carry a memorial account of the funeral services in England and special picture pages of the week's events since the monarch's death. Non-subscribers may obtain copies at newsstands and from carriers who will have extras when delivering their routes.

HOUSE TO GET FULL REPORT NEXT WEEK

B.C.H.I.S. Economies Recommended

By GORDON FORBES

Removal of co-insurance from B.C.'s highly controversial hospital insurance plan is one of the important recommendations of a special legislative committee which has been studying the problem for the last year, it was learned today.

The committee's report will be tabled in the Legislature next week.

Co-insurance was imposed in the insurance plan last year as one of the provisions to balance up its finances. It provides that a patient must pay a proportion of his hospital bill for the first 10 days stay, up to a maximum of \$35. Rates vary according to hospitals.

It had the two-fold object of curbing unnecessary visits to hospital — since patients are faced with paying out some cash — and of collecting a bit more of hospital costs from those who actually use the hospital beds.

From the start it was an unpopular feature of the insurance scheme, not only to the public generally, but to hospital administrative staff, who had to go back into the bill collecting business which they had just about escaped under universal insurance.

The committee, however, has found that it did not achieve the real purpose for which it was intended and in addition has helped make the insurance plan unpopular.

It is recommending that the co-insurance feature be dropped. The funds lost through this means would be made up by a complete overhaul of the administrative set-up on hospital insurance designed to slash costs to the bone.

Assassinated

TUNIS, Feb. 14 (Reuters) — Parachutists of the French Foreign Legion were reported today to be moving towards Gafsa, in Central Tunisia, after a leading pro-French Tunisian and two French police had been shot dead in the area.

The Tunisian, Si Sliman Ben Mamouda, was Caliph of Gafsa. He was shot dead with a pistol bullet in the heart, at the village of Msila, near Gafsa. The assassin escaped.

Armed Forces, Churches To Hold Solemn Memorial Services

Victoria's men in uniform will meet Friday at solemn and impressive services to say "good-bye" to their revered Commander-in-Chief, King George VI.

Simultaneously at church services throughout the district all denominations and creeds will join as one to mourn the late King.

Six companies representing men of the R.C.N. barracks, Malahat Reserve division, H.M.C. ships Ontario, Quebec and Crusader, and members of the Sea Cadets will be drawn up at the H.M.C.S. Naden parade ground at 11.35.

Fifty-six minute guns will be fired from H.M.C. Dockyard jetty, commencing at 11 a.m. As the final round is fired, "Past Post" will be sounded and two minutes' silence will ensue, followed by "Reveille" and "God Save the Queen."

Wives and children of naval personnel will be permitted in the area north of the gymnasium.

In case of wet weather "Malahat" and the Sea Cadets will hold services in their own establishments, and no spectators will be allowed at Naden due to lack of space indoors.

Army units will hold church parades at Work Point at 11, and at Gordon Head at 1.30. Sharp at 3 in the afternoon 800 officers and men from the two bases will gather on the Work Point parade square, where a 56-gun salute will be fired.

As far as is practical, gun crews commanded by Capt. J. Reeves, will be those who saluted Queen Elizabeth on her visit to Victoria.

Lt.-Col. Arthur Perron, garrison commander, will conduct the parade.

Out at Patricia Bay officers and men of the R.C.A.F. flying boat school and marine squadron will form up on the tarmac for a memorial service to be conducted by Sqdn. Ldr. L. R. Chodot, marine squadron commander.

A traditional drumhead funeral service for Reserve Army units and Victoria R.C.A.F. (Auxiliary) Radar Squadron will be held from 5 to sunset at Bay Street Armories.

Military bands will provide the music, and Rev. J. L. W. McLean, padre of the Canadian Scottish Regiment, will conduct the service from the stacked,

black-draped drums in the centre of the parade floor.

At the conclusion of the service CSM. B. Drysdale will play "Reveille" and the bands will join in the playing of "God Save the Queen" at official sunset.

Units taking part will be 3th (B.C.) Coast Regiment, 75th (B.C.) H.A.A. Regiment, 8th A.A.O.R., Canadian Scottish Regiment, 13th Field Ambulance, 40th Technical Squadron, R.C.A.F. Reserve, 75th Regiment Cadet Corps and Canadian Scottish Cadets.

Parade commander will be Lt.-Col. Walter Mosedale, commanding officer of the C.S.R. Capt. W. J. O'Brien will conduct a special service for Roman Catholics following "O Canada." They will rejoin the parade after prayers.

The balcony around the parade floor will be open to the public. Everyone in the city will have an opportunity to pay homage to His Majesty at church services and special radio programs.

Starting at 1.45 in the morning local radio stations will carry broadcasts of the funeral service in Great Britain, to continue until 6. Later during the day special programs will be heard, including broadcasts of national and local services.

There will be Holy Communion at Christ Church Cathedral at 8, followed by the official service at 10.30 to be attended by all Anglican congregations.



Picked out m' Valentine fer Doug Abbott. It's a little message askin' him t' have a heart next tax-payin' day.

If th' buses came along as fast as requests for fare increases, we'd all get home fer supper earlier.

Rev. W. R. Ashford will conduct a special service at First United Church at 11, to be attended by congregations from Centennial and Metropolitan United Churches.

CATHEDRAL MASS
Roman Catholics will celebrate Solemn Mass at St. Andrew's Cathedral at 11.

Other services will be as follows:
Central Baptist Church, 11 o'clock. Dr. J. B. Rowell to preach.

St. Mary's Church, Elgin Road, Holy Communion at 8 and short service at 9.45 to be attended by Rev. P. A. Gibbs, members of Oak Bay Council, and Oak Bay United Church members.

Church of Our Lord, 10 o'clock. Dr. J. G. Brown of the Reformed Episcopal to conduct service. Rev. S. V. H. Redman and his congregations from James Bay and Victoria-West will attend.

Salvation Army, 11 o'clock at Citadel, 757 Pandora. Open to the public.

Jewish Temple, 1461 Blanshard, 8 in-the evening. J. H. Nard to conduct services.

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ONE WOMAN'S DAY

By NANCY HODGES

POLITICS AND TV

NOW that the provincial political scene is resounding to the talk of elections in the offing—and how far "offing," I wouldn't know—it may be timely to take note of a little cloud, no bigger than a man's hand, that has arisen on the political horizon in the United States.

Or perhaps I should have said a woman's hand, for it is a feminine veteran of radio and television who is responsible. She is Judy Lawton of Hollywood and she has just launched out on a new career—teaching politicians how to conduct themselves in front of the television camera.

TEACHING TECHNIQUES

ACCORDING to Bob Thomas, a Hollywood columnist, Miss Lawton, who is a statesque-beauty—she would be!—has given up her highly successful radio and television career to take on this great crusade.

Evidently she considers such a sacrifice justified, as she notes that "all the magazines and commentators have indicated that TV will perhaps be the deciding factor in this year's presidential elections." Further she claims to have interviewed a great number of politicians on TV and found that none of them knows TV technique.

MORE HORRORS

PERHAPS because I happen to belong to that class—politicians—that is, whine some people consider, the lowest form of life—her new career awakens in me a feeling of horror. An thing new started over in the States invariably arrives here in the course of time, and I foresee that election campaigns will be even harder on candidates than they are today if the prospective politicians have to do their campaigning via the new medium of the TV screen.

No matter how good your platform or your past performances, you won't get to first base in the political arena unless you can "wow" 'em on TV, according to the Hollywood expert.

THEIR SHORTCOMINGS

SHE FINDS fault with President Truman's technique on TV, saying his delivery hasn't improved with the years and his gestures are still the same old stuff. Gen. Eisenhower, in her opinion, is glamorous, but behaves too much as if he were barking out military orders. Senator Taft fails most lamentably to come up to her standard of TV requirement, and of him she adds gloomily: "He couldn't turn into a Milton Berle overnight."

Well, from what little I know of Milton Berle—and it is microscopic—it seems to me that his particular gifts as a comedian and buffoon are hardly the attributes one would look for in a potential President. But, of course, it may be that public tastes in presidents, as in so many other things, are changing.

HARD ON PUBLIC

HOWEVER, quite apart from what our American neighbors may be looking for in TV techniques among presidential candidates, there are nightmarish implications in the possibility of a TV yardstick being applied to candidates in Canadian elections.

After having appeared on television in Britain last year, I well recall the plastering with an ochre "goo" that I had to submit to before going on the screen. "It would be awful if, in addition to that, women would be politicians, for instance, had to submit to the leg-showing techniques which are known in Hollywood jargon as "cheese-cake." And male candidates would probably have to undergo tests to discover how far short they fell of popular appeal as exemplified in Danny Keye or Burt Lancaster—a test which would eliminate many of our most effective and efficient politicians, once and for all.

Allies Regain Positions After Heavy Red Thrusts

SEOUL, Korea, Feb. 14 (AP)—Communist troops jabbed at advance Allied positions all across Korea today, hitting with a beefed-up company at one point on the western front.

Stormy skies restricted the air

Washington Civil Defense Members Here

Members of the Civil Defense Health Services planning group of the state of Washington are expected here today to confer with provincial public health officials.

Plans for the exchange of personnel and facilities will be discussed at the two-day meeting.

From Washington are Dr. J. A. Kahl, acting state health commissioner; Dr. Spielholz, director of local health services; J. E. Matthews, head of the state public health education section, and E. C. Jensen, chief of the public health engineering division.

Representing B.C. will be Dr. G. F. Amyot, deputy health minister; Dr. J. A. Taylor, deputy provincial health officer; Reg. Bowering, director of public health engineering, and Dr. T. H. Patterson, director of the division of environmental management.

Federal Minister Will Speak Here

Federal Agriculture Minister James G. Gardiner will address the fifth annual meeting of the British Columbia Natural Resources Conference in Victoria, February 27, 28 and 29.

The conference will discuss natural resources from the standpoint of industry, government and university.

war. But F-86 Sabre jets flying cover for fighter-bombers damaged one of 30 Communist jets which tried to break through the protective screen.

On the ground, pre-dawn Red attacks knocked Allied infantrymen out of two positions north-west of Yonchon on the western front and one near the Mundung valley in the east. All three were recaptured without trouble, the Eighth Army reported.

East of the Mundung valley the Reds hurled 700 rounds of mortar and artillery fire at a U.N. division in the 24 hours before dawn.

The Eighth Army said the Reds made nearly a dozen other small probes across the front.

The North Korean war communique, broadcast by the Pyongyang radio, said Red shore batteries on the west coast sank two Allied warships offshore. There was no Allied confirmation.

Allied planes fought through threatening weather to attack Communist life lines in North Korea.

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Benefits Likely For Farm Hands

Chief Justice Gordon McG. Sloan's recommendations for amendments to the Workmen's Compensation Act, which may cost employers an additional \$3,000,000, are expected to include a suggestion that agricultural workers be brought under the act.

The chief justice's report probably will be tabled in the House, Tuesday.

The recommendation concerning agricultural workers is one of the most far-reaching in his report. It is expected to touch off debate between rural M.L.A.'s who will oppose it and city members who will be for it.

Implementation of the recommendation would mean farmers with hired hands would have to pay compensation for them. B.C. would become the first province in Canada to enact such legislation.

Thermopolae Club To Supply Speakers

There's nothing an "old salt" enjoys more than a chance to spin a yarn to an appreciative audience—and Victoria "old salts" will have many chances this summer.

At the request of W. H. Warren, parks superintendent, Thermopolae Club of Victoria has agreed to supply speakers to take part in the Beacon Hill Park summer entertainment program.

FELINE SERVANTS

VIENNA (Reuters)—Three cats on duty every night in the city hall are listed for a monthly food allowance in the Vienna municipal budget. It also includes a food allowance for 13 hunting dogs.

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CHANGE IN BANKING HOURS

Friday, February 15, being a Day of Mourning, all branches of all chartered banks will be closed. In the interests of customers, therefore, the plan to close branches on Saturdays, originally scheduled to start February 16, has been postponed one week.

To extend the benefits of the five-day week to staffs, all branches of chartered banks in the following localities

will be closed Saturday, February 23, and each subsequent Saturday:

City of Victoria
Esquimalt

Colwood

As a convenience to customers, all these branches

will be open extra hours on Fridays, from 4.30 to 6.00 p.m.

particularly for cashing cheques and making deposits.

We ask the assistance and co-operation of bank customers in this policy of extending to our staffs the same conditions of employment that prevail in many other lines of business.

THE CHARTERED BANKS OF CANADA

RACKET SMASHED

Vancouverite Goes To Jail In U.K. Fraud

LONDON, Feb. 14 (CP)—Scotland Yard officers closed their files today on a case which cracked a black market ring and drew Michael Charles O'Neill of Vancouver into the police net.

O'Neill, 31, was fined £600 Wednesday after pleading guilty in the Old Bailey to supplying export china to British stores.

O'Neill was described in court as the "dupe" of a black market organization which diverted into the home market at least £500,000 worth of pottery intended for export. The leader of the ring, said by British newspapers to have developed the retinue of an American-style gangster, complete with bodyguard, recently was sent to prison for five years. The gang operated by inducing legitimate traders with export licenses to place orders for quality goods. Cheap canteen ware was then substituted before the goods reached the docks.

Counsel said O'Neill spent four years in German and Polish prison camps. Then he met "certain china dealers" who knew more about the business than he did.

GREAT PAINTER

Pablo Picasso, great French modern painter, was a child prodigy in Barcelona where he first studied art.



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Gear For Hockey Enthusiasts Needed To Build Skate Bank

A lot more ice skates are needed by the Victoria Minor Hockey League.

The league has asked that persons with skates around their homes to turn them in at any garage or gas station so that they may be put to use by the

many enthusiastic youngsters who get up as early as 5 a.m. to play hockey at Memorial Arena.

So far, however, only a dozen pairs have been turned in.

It is the hope of those behind the move to get enough equipment to establish a skate bank, where youngsters may turn in skates when they grow out of them, and draw a pair that will fit.

William Fahey, an official of the league, pointed out today that age and condition of skates was not important. The league, he said, was prepared to repair and rebuild all that it receives.

Queens Of Beauty To Feature Fair

Beauty queens will be one of the top attractions at the B.C. Products Fair here.

Other features will include an agricultural display of produce grown by professional and amateur gardeners and a hobby and photography display.

Chairman of the queen contest committee is Norman Johnston, while Vince Butler is chairman of the agriculture display and Lorraine Kirk fair manager.

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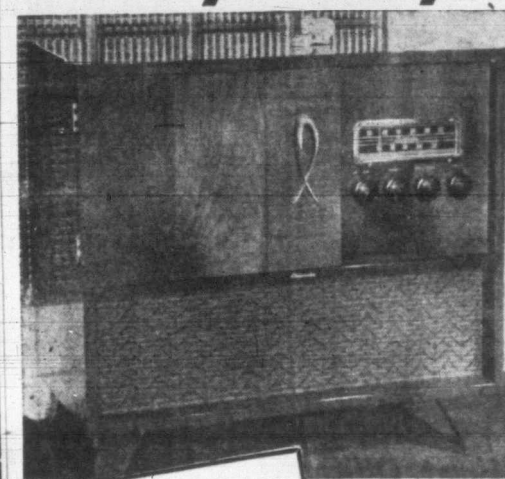
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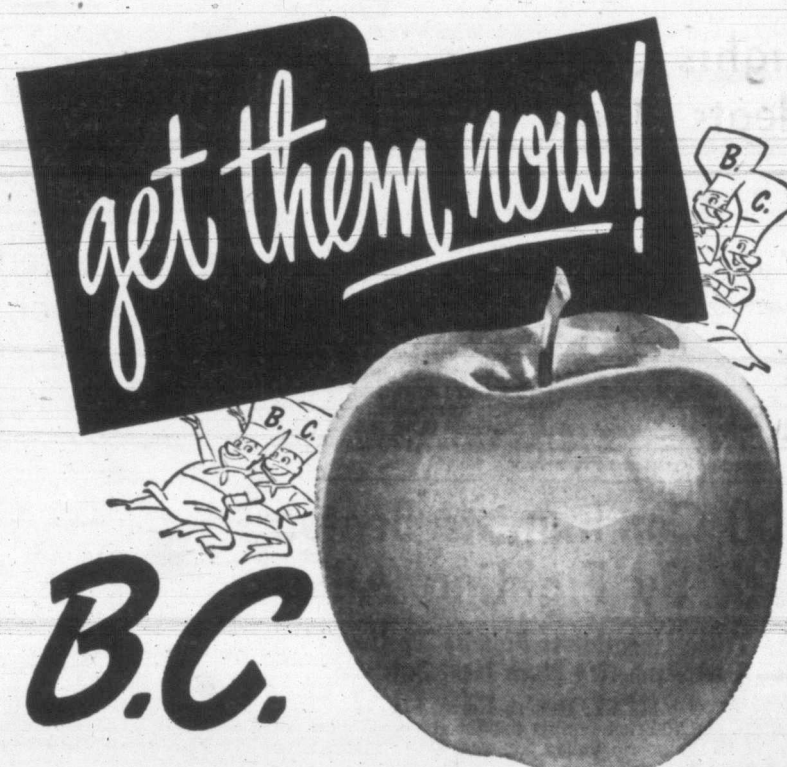
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His Grace

ELECTIONS—In Toronto Most Rev. W. F. Barfoot, Archbishop of Edmonton and Primate of Canada, was elected honorary president of the Dominion Board of the Lord's Day Alliance at its annual meeting today. Rev. Ernest Marshall House of Toronto was re-elected president. Among vice-presidents elected were R. G. Howell, Victoria, and Rt. Rev. F. P. Clark, Nelson, B.C.

MISSING—Montreal police today said they have all but given up their search for Nursing Sister Lieut. Elizabeth Sansom, missing from her post at a Kingston, Ont., military hospital since Christmas.

Police said they have found "absolutely no trace" of her and can only assume now that she deliberately disappeared.

Search for Lieut. Sansom, who was to have spent the holiday at Sherbrooke, centred in Montreal when it was discovered she had cashed a cheque here on her personal bank account on Dec. 27.

Lieut. Sansom is the niece of Lt. Gen. E. W. B. Sansom. Her parents live in Stanley, N.B.

ART—France plans to stage western Europe's most ambitious arts festival—"Masterpieces of the 20th Century"—in Paris this May.

Leading musical bodies expected to take part include the Vienna State Opera and the Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra, Berlin's Rias Orchestra, the London Covent-Garden Opera, the chorus and orchestra of the St. Cecilia Academy in Rome and George Balanchine's New York City Ballet and Symphony Orchestra.

Igor Stravinsky will conduct a program of his ballets and a concert of his later works.

The festival hopes to have Sir Lawrence Olivier, Vivien Leigh, Jean-Louis Barrault and Michael

Redgrave among famous actors who will give dramatic readings.

UNTOLD—In Hollywood Tennessee Williams' "A Streetcar Named Desire" ran off with 12 nominations for the 1951 academy awards—but the untold story is that the streetcar almost got derailed.

The movie industry itself voted "Streetcar" a candidate for everything from best movie to best acting Oscars.

Yet a year ago Hollywood wouldn't touch this picture, and the prize film, its producer admitted today, almost didn't get made.

"Streetcar" was a rousing Broadway success that collected such honors as the Pulitzer prize. But for a year, says Charles Feldman, not one movie-maker tried to buy it.

DESTRUCTION—In Birmingham, Ala., tornadoes and hail storms ripped across four states Wednesday night, causing widespread destruction, at least 25 injuries and one death. One man was missing.

Rural communities in north-west Alabama were swept by damaging winds and lashed by hail.

UNUSABLE—In Hollywood, film star Joan Fontaine is single today for the third time, but film-

Acheson Faces Tough Problem

U.S. Foreign Policy Future Hinges On "Conciliation Mission" In London

U.S. Secretary of State Dean Acheson will be playing for high stakes when he meets the foreign ministers of Britain, France and Germany next week-end.

The success or failure of United States foreign policy in Europe may depend on his "mission of conciliation" in London and in the meeting of North Atlantic Treaty nations in Lisbon next week.

West Germany's surging nationalism and French fears of an unbridled Germany are at the seat of his difficulties.

German Chancellor Konrad

Nationalist Army Said Fighting Self

RANGOON, Burma, Feb. 14 (AP)—Chinese nationalist troops on Burma's border with China today were reported battling among themselves over the division of operations between two cliques.

The reports said there were heavy losses on both sides. Remnants of nationalist troops under command of Brig. Wan Yue Wai clashed with locally-recruited guerrillas at Muse, on the border between east central Burma and China's Yunnan province.

Reports reaching Rangoon tended to confirm that Gen. Li Mi no longer commands the 15,000-man remnant of two Chinese armies he previously has led on large-scale raids into Yunnan.

The troops recently have been operating from hideouts in eastern Burma.

The latest reports here said Li Mi's command was taken over by Lt. Gen. Nui Kwon Chwen, commander of the remnant 26th army of nationalist China. The 26th army and the remains of the Eighth army had been under Li's command and were the last to escape from China after the nationalist defeat in 1949-50.

IMPOSSIBLE CONDITIONS

The Germans have agreed to participate in the army but have attached conditions which, if enforced, make their acceptance practically impossible.

Among them is a lifting of all industrial restrictions by her former enemies and a reduction of occupation costs at least proportionate to her contributions to Eisenhower's army.

Both France and Britain will oppose any reduction in Germany's share of the occupation costs.

Acheson probably will support Adenauer's demand for a voice in N.A.T.O., but he probably also will tell him he must be patient and not risk the whole western alliance by pressing his demands now.

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H. A. WALLACE

B.C.'s Target \$250,000 For War on Cancer

The 1952 Conquer Cancer Campaign will get under way in B.C. in April with an objective of \$250,000, it was announced today.

It will be a joint effort by the B.C. Division, Canadian Cancer Society, and B.C. Cancer Foundation. The society will take \$150,000 to maintain its education program, and the other \$100,000 will be used by the foundation to improve treatment facilities.

It will go to the B.C. Cancer Institute in Vancouver to complete a new \$700,000 building to be equipped with a Cobalt 60 "bomb," one of the most modern devices for treating cancer.

Hubert A. Wallace, vice-president of Yarrows Ltd. here, will be provincial campaign chairman, and M. J. Foley of the Powell River Co. will be his deputy. John Hart is chairman of the Victoria campaign committee, and K. L. Patton treasurer.

\$1,000 Initial Gift To City Art Centre

Mrs. Nikola Pavelic, the former Myfanwy Spencer, has given the Victoria Arts Centre a gift of \$1,000.

The money was part of the proceeds from the sale of Mrs. Pavelic's portraits and she has advised officials at the centre that she will continue to make donations from further picture sales.

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WEATHER SYNOPSIS

VICTORIA'S SUNSHINE RECORD TO DATE, 1952—73.3 HOURS

SYNOPSIS: A Pacific storm crossed the B.C. coast this morning. It caused gale force winds in exposed northern waters. Unsettled conditions will persist along the coast today in the wake of this storm. A ridge of high pressure forming just off the coast is expected to hold further disturbances away for at least 36 hours, allowing sunny periods in the southern part of the province Friday. Temperatures will remain relatively mild.

REGIONAL FORECASTS VALID UNTIL MIDNIGHT FRIDAY

VICTORIA: Cloudy with sunny periods Friday. Little change in temperature. Winds southwest 15 Friday. Low tonight and high Friday, 38 and 47.

WEST COAST: Cloudy with scattered showers Friday. Little change in temperature. Winds light Friday. Low tonight and high Friday at Vancouver airport, Abbotsford and Nanaimo, 38 and 46.

VANCOUVER AND GEORGIA STRAIT: Cloudy Friday. Widely scattered showers tonight and Friday. A few sunny periods Friday. Little change in temperature. Winds light Friday. Low tonight and high Friday at Vancouver airport, Abbotsford and Nanaimo, 38 and 46.

TEMPERATURES

	Min.	Max.	Precip.
St. John's	39	39	.04
Halifax	40	40	.04
Montreal	4	12	—
Toronto	2	10	—
Winnipeg	24	28	—
Regina	14	26	—
Saskatoon	1	28	—
Lethbridge	19	39	—
Calgary	25	31	—
Edmonton	9	35	—
Kamloops	27	32	—
Vancouver	37	44	.04
Victoria	36	43	—
Kimberley	5	24	—
Prince Rupert	2	10	.08
Prince George	29	32	—
Fort St. John	25	32	—
Seattle	28	45	.04
Portland	28	45	.04
Chicago	26	37	—
San Francisco	45	55	—
New York	17	39	—
Whitehorse	21	27	—
Ottawa	—	—	—

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Feb. 14—Sunrise 7:24 — Sunset 5:33

Feb. 15—Sunrise 7:25 — Sunset 5:35

TIDES AT VICTORIA

Time	High	Time	Low	Time	High	Time	Low
Feb. 14	5:35	6:11	7:27	6:14	7:23	6:1	5:1
15	5:32	6:09	7:24	6:11	7:20	5:9	5:0
16	6:11	6:23	7:14	6:23	7:14	6:23	6:7
17	6:26	6:55	7:12	6:31	7:12	6:31	6:3
18	6:26	6:55	7:12	6:31	7:12	6:31	6:3
19	6:52	7:10	7:19	6:52	7:10	7:19	6:3
20	7:29	7:47	7:18	7:29	7:47	7:18	6:3
21	8:18	7:37	7:18	8:18	7:37	7:18	6:3
22	9:10	7:18	7:18	9:10	7:18	7:18	6:3
23	4:44	5:00	6:51	4:44	5:00	6:51	6:3
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19	6:52	7:10	7:19	6:52	7:10	7:19	6:3
20	7:29	7:47	7:18	7:29	7:47	7:18	6:3
21	8:18	7:37	7:18	8:18	7:37	7:18	6:3
22	9:10	7:18	7:18	9:10	7:18	7:18	6:3
23	4:44	5:00	6:51	4:44	5:00	6:51	6:3
24	4:44	5:00	6:51	4:44	5:00	6:51	6:3

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OSLO, Feb. 14 (CP).—Russia's formal application for membership in the International Ice Hockey Federation will be made here Sunday, Dr. Fritz Kraatz of Switzerland, I.I.H.F. president, announced today.

"The Russians have said they will agree to our statutes and regulations and a letter confirming this will be signed Feb. 17 by the general secretary of the Russian Olympic Committee, said Dr. Kraatz in an interview.

NEW GRID COACH

MONTREAL, Feb. 14 (CP).—Douglas (Peahead) Walker, former line coach for Yale University, has been appointed coach of Montreal Alouettes in the Big Four Football League.

Walker arrived in Montreal today to sign his contract with the Alouettes where he will take over the coaching duties from Lew Hayman, part-owner of the team who will confine his future activities to front-office work.

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The Vicious Circle

IN SOME WAYS THE BIGGEST QUESTION on the world's current agenda is how much money the United States and Canada will give to the people of Europe this year. That question is much less simple than it looks.

Seven years after the war western Europe still is unable to support itself and Britain has reached the gravest economic crisis of its entire history. The reason for this condition is quite simple—these nations are trying to live beyond their means.

The gap between what they produce and what they consume has been made up, until now by the expenditure of dollar reserves; by loans and gifts from America and, in the case of Britain, by loans as well from the sterling area. The present position of unbalance could go on indefinitely so long as the lenders and givers continued to lend and give. They will not do so indefinitely. No one understands that better than Mr. Churchill, who apparently proposes in his first budget to risk political destruction in order to cut down British living standards to the level of British production.

But the disquieting thought, now growing in Washington and Ottawa, is that Europe as a whole will never close its gap before it is compelled to do so. Just as long as Europe can count on America to provide it free with the goods which it does not itself produce so long, it is to be feared, will Europe refuse to face its basic problem.

This situation comes to focus in the case of coal, fuel of the European economy. Europe and Britain need a huge bed of coal. Britain has no other major raw resource. Coal and its transformation into manufactured goods is Europe's only real hope of economic independence.

Yet with all this coal and plenty of miners Europe is not mining enough coal even for its own use. One of the most staggering of current facts is that Europe as a whole will use about \$1

billion this year, or perhaps half of its total American grants, to buy American coal. It is not surprising therefore to find men like Senator Taft asking why his country's taxpayers should pay for coal which the Europeans could and should dig for themselves. In the end, of course, they will have to produce, either directly or by trade, all the goods they consume when the United States tires of subsidizing them.

That is a sheer and inescapable economic calculation but it is not the only calculation today. The other is the military state of Europe. For their own preservation the United States and Canada must preserve Europe from communism. Europe could fall to communism either by direct attack or by internal revolutions—or by Communist victories in democratic elections.

America must subsidize Europe to defend it from outright Communist attack. It must keep the European economy and living standards at tolerable levels lest desperate peoples vote for communism.

Thus America is caught in a curious dilemma—to support the European economy is to encourage it to rely on a dole forever, to discourage it from solving its own basic problem; but to fail to support Europe is to run the risk of losing its support in the world power struggle.

As in most human affairs there doubtless will be a compromise between what Europe wants in economic aid and what America thinks it deserves. There should be enough to prevent economic and political disaster in Europe. There will not be enough to blind Europe to the need of working harder, producing more and temporarily consuming less.

Military aid is in quite another category. By every calculation of self interest to leave aside other worthy considerations—America is bound to arm Europe to the maximum of its ability. It will be surprising if the Canadian government does not bear its full share of this load through N.A.T.O. in the coming year.

What Are The Good Douks Doing?

REPORTS FROM KRESTOVA, BRILLIANT and other communities indicate mounting unrest among the Doukhobors. If those reports are correct, the growing tension might be the prelude to further disorders similar to those which have plagued this province for years.

Escape from a recurrence of trouble appears to depend largely on settlement of the problem posed by the fanatical Sons of Freedom. How long that settlement can be postponed before another violent upheaval occurs is doubtful.

On previous occasions in which extremists and terrorists have run wild among Doukhobor communities emphasis has been given to the fact that the perpetrators of crimes have been a few fanatics. The argument has been raised, and properly, that many other Doukhobors are blameless and that the cult should not be tarred by the criminals' brush.

A Great Job In Traffic Safety

THOUSANDS OF GREATER VICTORIA children are more keenly aware of traffic safety rules today because they have met Kneehi and his master, Dr. George Brunson. The little dog has brought home to them lessons in the avoidance of danger in a way which should have created indelible impressions in their minds.

The success of the campaign is indicated by honest testimonials from civic dignitaries and educational experts. Municipal Inspector J. F. K. English probably speaks for all when he states, "The method which has been employed by using Kneehi to demonstrate these principles is far more permanent and significant than direct instruction in the classroom."

This does not mean that traffic safety education can now be piecemealed. The campaign has provided a milestone in the continuing crusade against death and injury on the highway. As such it is well defined. It will be marked by conscientious adults no less than by their offspring.

One of the points of major significance resulting from the appearance of Kneehi and Dr. Brunson arises from the fact that the instruction in caution has been delivered to audiences of a highly impressionable age. If they were not aware, or only hazily aware, of the lessons that have been taught on the subject before, they should have them clearly in mind now.

It is to be hoped that the young people will not only remember them, but will use them as reminders to adults who are inclined to carelessness in driving habits. Here is another case in which a little child may lead them.

The Victoria Daily Times considers it a privilege to have been associated with Dr. Brunson in the work he has done. This newspaper will count as its reward the higher degree of safety bestowed upon the community through the spectacular success he has made of the project.

At the conclusion of demonstrations here, The Times wishes him well in the excellent job he is doing among the young people—the future drivers—of this continent.

Tarnish On The Gilded Lily

STATEMENTS REPORTED AT THIS week's Gyro Club luncheon merit immediate and complete examination if Canada's reputation for fair dealing with new settlers is to be maintained.

Speaking to the clubmen, Joe Bueschens, formerly of Pan-American Airlines in Germany, stated that immigration inspectors are informing potential immigrants in Germany that this nation offers "\$4-an-hour wages for laborers" and that there are "plenty of jobs." Mr. Bueschens said such stories sound rather thin when the new Canadians arrive here. Obviously they are thin, or worse. They are outright misstatements of fact. If they are actually being made

A Brother Has Come Home

TO MILLIONS OF PEOPLE WHOSE hearts will be with the Royal Family tomorrow, the order in which members of the sorrowing group move in the funeral procession will be a matter of little moment. It will be accepted by most of those millions that certain forms of precedence must be observed. That is part of tradition. Yet tomorrow will be a day steeped as it is in tradition, on which protocol will yield importance to human emotion and the world-wide expression of sympathy for it.

by officials representing Canada overseas, those officials should be disciplined without delay.

Canada has much for the new-comer. It has one of the two highest living standards in the world. It offers a degree of personal freedom found in few other parts of the world. It provides opportunities for those who will take them. But it does not offer jobs at \$4 an hour to the immigrant laborer who steps off the ship or the aircraft.

Reports of that nature can only create mischief. Someone should be held answerable for them. Canada does not have to depend on fraud to attract the desirable type of immigrant.

At another time, on a different occasion, the order of their going might have occasioned comment and controversy. That time is not now. A brother has come home to pay his last respects to the memory of the man who accepted the high duties and responsibilities he chose to relinquish. The members of a family are re-united in a common grief. That knowledge will transcend the importance of the rules of precedence. So will it seem to those who honor family as it was honored by him so deeply mourned.

Chips Off The Old Brock

By DAVID BROCK

WILL all of you be my Valentines? That'll be slazzy. I haven't used the word "slazzy" since the days when I used to have Valentines who took me more seriously than you do.

It was never a very good word. Some of my Valentines weren't so hot, either. Along about Grade Six or Seven, I was going in more for quantity than quality. Not that I was any too hot myself, as the Don

Juan of Grade Six. For one thing, I wore glasses, which disqualified a Don Juan at once. There was no use trying to feel like Rudolph Valentino or John Gilbert when you looked like Harold Lloyd. (These names are a very slazzy way of dating such episodes.)

And for another thing, I was always tempted into buying those comic Valentine cards which flourished in that period. Some were downright insulting, while others were just painfully witty. I loved them all, far better than I loved the ladies.

Like Captain Ginger in the song . . . who called himself "O.T." of '95 in the shade, wot, wot, though a human temperature of 95 is not very hot, being about 3½ degrees below normal. . . like Captain Ginger, I loved the ladies, not one of them would I injure. . . sorry, I mean injure. But if a comic Valentine was going to injure a beautiful friendship, I was willing to risk it. That ghastly little fungoid growth which I called my sense of humor was more important to me than Love.

Some of the girls adored getting comic cards. Just as some girls like you to treat them shabbily, I suppose. Caven stuff on a verbal or pictorial plane, so that in a sense you might call these cards cave-drawings. But other girls, not unreasonably, resented them. And I could never predict which girls they'd be. Who could? And how, you may ask, did they discover who'd sent the things? Well, that's a good question.

THE thing was, I always put quite easy hints on the cards, my theory being that if by some chance a card had the magic power of awakening true love, then it was insane to waste it by not letting the damsel know the name of the man she had suddenly become crazy over. So some girls recognized me as a suitor and some as a villain. It all cancelled out, really. It must be that way in many a haven, too. What you gain on the swings you lose on the roundabouts. One of the more resentful girls, by the way, stopped speaking to me for life. She stopped on St. Valentine's Day, 1922, and though I saw her daily at U.B.C. from 1928 to 1930 she never nodded once. And all I sent her was a picture of a cat that stuck its tongue out at her. Women are difficult to please.

That same St. Valentine's Day was the last time I sent a Valentine to anybody, by the way. I had the fright of my life and have not quite got over it now, 30 years after. I may just possibly have told you this little incident once before (though not on last February 14). Well, just because I have told it before, this doesn't make it untrue. Which is that way in many a haven, too. What you gain on the swings you lose on the roundabouts. One of the more resentful girls, by the way, stopped speaking to me for life. She stopped on St. Valentine's Day, 1922, and though I saw her daily at U.B.C. from 1928 to 1930 she never nodded once. And all I sent her was a picture of a cat that stuck its tongue out at her. Women are difficult to please.

THIRTY years ago today there was one girl in Grade Seven with whose affections I was certainly not trifling. My intentions, you could say, were really honorable for once. She impressed me, deeply, or at least as deep as you could get into me without finding yourself clear through on the other side. So I sent her a whole bag of Valentines, all signed in full. And what did this dreadful woman do? She rose from her desk, marched down the aisle to mine, and kissed me in front of the whole class. Until that moment I had adored her mainly for her talents on the stage. For a kid of 12 or so, she was a knockout. But if I'd guessed she could act THAT well, and pull off a stunt like that in public, I'd have sent her a poisoned lollipop. And from then on, each time I looked at her with horror in my eyes, she knew it was L-U-V. Lav. That was the worst thing of all. BROCK.

VIRTUOSITY

DOES anyone read Surtees any more? It was he who inspired Dickens' publishers to inspire Dickens to write "Pickwick," so the world owes him a double debt. It owes him for Jorrocks, the fox-hunting and adorably vulgar tea merchant. Perhaps most of us today only know Jorrocks through quotations from him in Kipling's "Stalky & Co." The best of those quotations is not explained but merely says: "Hellish dark and smells of cheese." What really happened was this: Jorrocks asked his friend James Pigg to stiek his head outdoors into the night, to report on the weather for next day's hunting. They had had too much of a dinner, and James Pigg stuck his head into the dining room cupboard instead, reporting that the night was hellish dark and smelt of cheese.

WELL, Jorrocks was fond of saying he didn't know much music. In fact, he only knew two tunes. One of them was "God Save the King" and the other wasn't. My elder son is at exactly this stage in his piano lessons. He can play "God Save the King" at times, and also a tune that isn't. But unlike Jorrocks, he doesn't keep them separate. Mostly he plays them in a horrible mixture that drives me a little wilder each day. Many, many things unnerve me. But mere noise has never done it until now. I had always thought people were kidding when they got the screaming-meemies from discordant sounds. It now appears some of them are quite sincere.

Real Danger

Ottawa Journal

The real danger of state dependence in this country, or of one-party government in this country, doesn't come from the politicians. It stems from the fact that the people who ought to understand the danger of such things, have all along by their silence, condoned a growing trend toward them.



Under Our Roof

By JOHN RHODES STURDY

THE day was sunny for a change and Hamish and I were sitting on the front verandah steps, enjoying the fresh air and the jolly breezes scurrying over the bay which fronts the house.

"Hamish," I said musingly, "what are those thousands of feathered things that are resting on the waters at our doorstep?"

"Ducks," said Hamish.

"And what did my wife say we were having for dinner?" I asked.

"Boiled tripe," he said. "I shuddered. Since we stopped buying meat I haven't really minded the macaroni and cheese days, or the vegetarian dinner days, or even the codfish 'patty' days. But this boiled tripe thing was something new and terrifying."

"There are really too many ducks out there," I remarked to Hamish. "The way they're packed together it's a wonder a few of them don't break their legs, or something."

"Yes," agreed Hamish, "there could easily be a serious accident."

Of course I'm not a hunter, and you are not supposed to shoot ducks in this bay of ours, and anyway, it might not be the season for all I know. Which has nothing to do with my suggestion to Hamish that we get out my 22 and practise hitting tin cans. After all, it was a sunny day, and we had nothing else to do.

So Hamish perched a can on the end of the point overlooking the bay, and I fired a dozen or so rounds at it, and then Hamish fired a dozen or so rounds, and eventually I said: "We're out of practise, I'm afraid, Hamish. We didn't hit the can once."

So then we decided to go for a row in the rowboat, just for exercise, and when we came back to the house my wife was standing there at the front door.

"Good heavens," she said, "what are you carrying?"

"Well," I said, "these ducks met with a serious accident. They are quite dead. And you can throw that boiled tripe to the sharks," I added.

We had the ducks hanging on the porch and we were feeling quite happy about everything, when there came a knock on the door and this man appeared. He eyed the ducks and said: "Can't eat those, boy."

I turned pale and told him that the ducks had got excited and bumped into one another in the bay and broken their legs, and—

"I am not interested in how they met their demise, boy," said the man. "I am here to read the electric light meter. At the same time, boy, you can't eat those ducks—least not the way they are."

"Naturally," I said, with great relief that he was not the game warden, "we intend to cook them."

"How, boy?"

"Well, roast them."

He gave me a pitying look. "It's as plain as day, boy, that you are new at this game. You roast those ducks like grain-fed ducks, boy, and they'll turn out tasting so much of fish that you won't be able to eat them. Those are fishy ducks, boy."

"Well," I said despondently, "it was an idea, anyway."

"However, boy," said the man, "I will tell you how to cook those ducks so that they will taste as delicious as anything off the Prairies. First you dig a deep pit. Then you start a fire in it until you get a big bed of red-hot coals. In the meantime, boy, you take these ducks and you make a clay of mud and sand from the beach and you pack it around the birds. But first you put a slice of onion in each duck. And then when you have the ducks well-encased in clay you place them in the pit with plenty of seaweed. You leave them there, for a considerable time, and then you dig out the birds, break open the hardened clay with a hammer, and, boy, you've got delicious roast duck with all the fish taste gone."

"Well, thanks," I said.

"Don't mention it, boy."

I am positive that Hamish and I followed his instructions to the last item. Of course, it was three o'clock in the morning before the clay hardened, but we were so happy about the thought of a duck dinner that it didn't seem to bother us. We sat around the pit with lanterns, and eventually there came the great moment to break open the shells.

Even the bones had disintegrated.

"Well," I said to my wife, "let's have the boiled tripe."

"I threw it to the sharks like you told me," she said.

We had peanut butter sandwiches and went to bed.

A Queen's Sorrows

Toronto Globe and Mail

There are three Queens in our Commonwealth today—its new Monarch, Queen Elizabeth; her mother, Queen Elizabeth; and her grandmother, Queen Mary. The third of those Queens is least in the public eye—she is 84 years old—yet she has known the most sorrows, and made the greatest sacrifices.

The death of her husband, King George V, in 1936, was but one of those sorrows. There was the death of her youngest son, 14-year-old Prince John, in 1919. There was the death of another son, the Duke of Kent, as the result of an airplane accident in 1942. There is now the death of a third son, King George VI. Only two of five sons remain, the Duke of Gloucester and the Duke of Windsor. Added to this is the heartbreak she felt, and still feels, over the latter's abdication.

Few women have known so much grief. And those who have, were not obligated to endure all of it under public scrutiny. But that has been Queen Mary's lot. She has accepted it with dignity and resolution; and so doing, has set an example to the other members of the Royal Family. The qualities we admire in her kingly son, the "qualities" we admire in the two Elizabeths, were in large part inculcated by this great and gracious lady. We may hope that she will be spared to see how well they serve her illustrious granddaughter; and through her, the entire Commonwealth.

How to Torture Your Husband : : BY H. T. WEBSTER



The Shepherd

ST. VALENTINE'S DAY

"The God of Love shall be with you."

II Cor. 13:11

At 12 o'clock upon the day . . . She'll stop a moment and will pray . . . She knows that overseas somewhere . . . Her soldier, too, is deep in prayer . . . They have this date before God's throne . . . A daily meeting at their own . . . As they ask Him to keep and bear . . . The other in His watchful care . . . Let others who shall read these lines . . . Arrange such daily Valentines.

JULIEN C. HYER.

As Our Readers See It

CHRISTMAS WORDS

I came across these words and thought the people would like to have them. They were quoted from the Dec. 1939, Christmas broadcast by our late beloved King George VI, and are as follows:

"I said to a man who stood at the gate of the year, 'Give me a light that I may tread safely into the unknown,' and he replied, 'Go out into the darkness and put your hand into the hand of God. That shall be to you better than a light and safer than the known way.'"

VIOLET V. COX.

1890 Haultain St.

TO ENCOURAGE AND HELP

At the Cathedral on Sunday morning, and listening to the dean's masterly eulogy of His Majesty's life and character, and his words from the Bible "when the king died I saw the Lord" (Law) it seems fitting for me, a humble Canadian subject, to state at this time the wonderful thrill I received when His Majesty commanded that a song written by me had met with acceptance. The wording of the communication makes one believe that it was a personal act, and an effort to encourage and help.

As the song is a peace theme and we believe that great souls freed from limitations can, and do "greater works," may we dare to hope and pray that the noble life and work of our late beloved King may hasten the peace which the centuries have striven for.

Long live the Queen.

A. CAROLYN BAYFIELD.
2585 Lansdowne Road.

GETTING MAD

May I ask a few questions regarding this "next round" of wage increases sought by labor? To mind in the first place comes the carpenter. Why is it that \$1.75 per hour is not enough for that kind of work? What is so good about the standards attempted by these men which should entitle them to more? What is a good carpenter? Do the unions who insist we pay them \$2.50 per hour also insist they give \$2.50 worth per hour to the man who has to pay the bill? In other words, what responsibility do the men who want that kind of money have, not only to their employers but to the public?

What is the end going to be like? Do you see us finally with a wheel barrow full of brightly colored duck paying off the organized stick-up men for the second-class work we seem to be getting for our first-class money?

After we pay off to the carpenters what excuses are going to be any good against the next most money-hungry group? Why don't your newspapers encourage the employers to put their heads down and refuse to pay any more of these high wages, especially for the kind of work "workers" do today? I'm fed up, scared, disgusted, and now I'm getting mad.

—WELDON WILLIE.
827 Johnson Street.

SABBATH—

In your issue of Feb. 6 "Swedenborgian" refers to John 20:1 and 19, as proof that the first day was the Sabbath, whereas in looking into the old book we find that the word Sabbath is not there, further the Apostles were not there for worship, but as it reads "Assembled for fear of the Jews" who persecuted them, and Jesus appeared and said "Peace be unto you."

It is always honorable to recognize talent, perhaps no person in America deserves this more than Cardinal Gibbons. In his book, "Faith of Our Fathers," page 86, the Cardinal writes: "You may read the Bible from Genesis to Revelation, and you will not find a single line authorizing the sanctification of Sunday. The Scriptures enforce the religious observance of Saturday." Will the Rev. Rowell please observe this is not a misquotation. Cardinal Gibbons was a brilliant scholar in English, Hebrew and Greek, and knew what he was writing about.

The eternal standard for all is Ex. 20:8—"The seventh day is the Sabbath of the Lord thy God."

It is plain enough for any man on the street to understand, many thousands do, and are giving strong allegiance to the Moral Law of God as did the Apostles and the early church.

DAN REVEYER.

A Neighbor's View

New York Times

IT IS not often given to a King to leave a profound sense of personal grief among his people and a feeling throughout much of the world that a good and true light has gone out. George VI was beloved and respected, not because he was a monarch who bore the crown, but because he was the son of the Saxons and Normans, the Plantagenets and Tudors, the Stuarts and Hanovers, but because he was a man who lived a good life and who performed a heavy task bravely and well.

This century, which has been the graveyard of so many kingdoms, has turned its corner with the British crown resting firmly on the fair head of an immensely popular young Queen. The British monarchy stands, a symbol of unity and tradition, a political institution above party politics, an emotional, glamorous outfit in drab lives. For the uneasy head that wears the crown, life is often a heavy burden, an incredibly grinding, boring task—endless state papers to sign, innumerable functions to attend, speeches to make, receptions to give, and all under the pitiless glare of modern publicity. King George bore that burden with grace and devotion; if his life in these last 15 years had been nothing else than to be the benevolent institution of an English King one could have pitied him. But it was so much more! It was a time of faith and glory in which George VI played an honorable role. It was a time when two healthy little girls grew to womanhood in a happy home.

One of them now picks up the burden, herself a happy wife and parent, already assured of the loyalty of her subjects and of the sympathy and warm wishes of many peoples, not the least from those who live in the one-time colony of the British Throne, the United States.

Jury Selected In Trial Of Alleged Bookmakers

VANCOUVER, Feb. 14 (CP)—An Assize Court jury of 10 men and two women was selected Wednesday to hear the case against 26 persons accused of conspiring to carry on book-making here.

A total of 182 prospective jurors were called by Sheriff S. F. M. Moodie. The 12 defense lawyers rejected a total of 152. They were legally entitled to 324 challenges.

The prosecution "stood aside."

The more than 200 panel members not called were excused "until further notice."

During the task of choosing a jury, defense lawyer Thomas Hurley said: "I have the right to a man named Bradshaw. He was struck off the list, another name substituted, then still a third substituted. I know nothing about the last man."

Mr. Justice Norman Whitaker then interposed, and explained the excusing of jurymen with medical certificates. He offered to adjourn court to produce these records.

Hurley declined the offer.

The number of accused to stand trial this session was cut to 26 Wednesday, one of them a woman, when prosecutor Scott agreed the case of Lloyd Green should be traversed to the next assizes.

Threat of an adjournment while the Crown amassed exact details of the conspiracy charge, as requested by the defense, faded Wednesday when Mr. Justice Whitaker ruled such details were in the preliminary trial position.

Barkley Recovers From Eye Operation

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14 (AP)—Vice-President Alben Barkley, who underwent an eye operation last Thursday, expects to leave Bethesda Naval Hospital in about a week. Barkley's surgeon said he is in excellent condition after a "very successful" operation.

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ON THE LABOR SCENE

By DAVE STOCK

Everybody is talking politics in B.C. So it is only natural that organized labor, having come to recognize itself as a potentially powerful political force, is having quite a bit to say on the subject, too.

Earlier this month, B.C.'s two biggest unions met in Vancouver for their annual conventions. They devoted much time to politics.

One, the International Woodworkers of America (C.I.O.-C.C.L.) heard a suggestion that it sever support given the C.C.F. and go its own way in politics. But the convention, representing 30,000 logging and lumber workers, voted down the idea and reaffirmed its support to the C.C.F.

At the same time, the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers, a Communist-led, independent organization, which boasts the second largest union strength in B.C., heard plans for embarking on an all-out campaign with the idea of electing at least 10 candidates to the provincial legislature during the next election.

ALL WOODING LABOR

Apart from the internal workings of unions to get into politics, is deep concern of the political parties to get support of labor.

Recently, of course, much publicity has been given the efforts of veteran M.L.A. Tom Uphill to have unions throughout the province unite with him and form a new independent labor party to have a say in provincial affairs.

Liberals and Conservatives, at the next election, will seek credit for the more favorable features of legislation that has been introduced to benefit B.C. workers in the last 10 years.

And the C.C.F. and new Social Credit parties will point to the not-so-favorable features of labor legislation and will include in their platforms promises to do much better than either of the parties that participated in Coalition.

It will all be interesting to watch. Worth watching, too, will be unions of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, rival organization of the C.C.L.

Though as active as C.C.L. groups when it comes to expression of opinions on legislation and government happenings, the T.L.C. has kept out of politics. Though, within this organization, also, are those who favor taking a definite political stand.

So we must wait, and watch.

EXECUTIVE OVER-ROLED

The executive thought the C.C.L. unions should do no more than follow congress policy of adopting the C.C.F. as a political arm, leaving selection of party candidates strictly up to those within the party.

The meeting, however, wanted direct participation in selection of political candidates so that was the way the vote went.

The decision is important in that it is another step toward direct labor participation in politics. Whether this is good or bad is a matter of opinion—but the trend is definitely that way.

It should be pointed out that not all C.C.L. unionists are C.C.F.

Sharepushers Operating On Fringe Of Law

Victoria, with its many retired residents and the whole of busy, booming B.C. are juicy hunting grounds for "stocksters," and sharepushers, peddlers of phony stocks who work mostly by phone and by mail from eastern headquarters. Activities of these characters are being stepped up, declared Harry Gassard, educational director for the Investment Dealers' Association of Canada, at a press conference in Victoria Monday.

Gassard's job is to educate the Canadian people to a better understanding of the investment business, its contribution to Canadian progress and its basic place in the economy.

"Millions of dollars every year are thrown away on worthless securities peddled by slick sharepushers operating on the edge of the law," said Gassard. "We are doing all we can to stop them by spreading our educational program on legitimate investment in Canada."

At least five times as many Canadians as presently buy shares in this country's industry should become stockholders in Canadian companies, Gassard feels. This could provide a solid base for industrial progress, and promote greater public harmony, he believes, since it would mean a clearer general understanding of the science of investment itself and would at the same time provide the essential capital for new industry.

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Family Hits 50 Mark In Fractured Legs

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 14 (AP)—The James A. Elkins family has hit the 50-mark in broken legs.

The 50th break came when eight-year-old Roger Elkins turned around to pick up his shirt off a bed Monday. A bone snapped in his right leg.

Today he's back in hospital with his 20th leg fracture—the chief victim among the family.

SPECIAL LEGION SERVICE

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Wage negotiations are expected to begin shortly between the Fisheries Association of British Columbia and the United Fishermen and Allied Workers' Union with regard to new rates of pay for shoreworkers.

The shoreworkers are seeking a 33.13 per cent increase.

This was the goal set by the annual shoreworkers' wage conference held recently in Vancouver, which has since been ratified by various locals up and down the coast.

The negotiation meetings will deal only with rates of pay. Working conditions arrived at last year are to remain in effect until next year. The wage schedule, however, expires April 15.

New Peace Demand

BERLIN, Feb. 14 (AP)—Communist East Germany submitted to the four occupying powers Wednesday night a new demand for a peace treaty for the divided country, declaring it is the only way to "preserve peace" in Europe. The cabinet of Prime Minister Otto Grotewohl announced its action after an extraordinary session in the Soviet sector of Berlin.

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About 180 persons in the Victoria area will be concerned in the progress of negotiations. These are employees of B.C. Packers Ltd., at Ogdon Point; Fishermen's Co-operative Association, J. H. Todd & Sons Ltd., and Empire Cannery, Esquimalt. Another 40 persons employed at the Sooke traps are affected, too.

The shoreworkers division of the union covers a wide range of jobs. Highest paid are lineamen who maintain and repair machinery in the canneries. Lowest paid are unskilled women cannery workers.

Elgin Neish, president of the fishermen's Victoria local, indicated today that the union would also seek to establish this year fixed prices for halibut and salmon brought in by trollers.

NO MINIMUM SET

Up until now, halibut and troller fishermen have had no minimum price guarantee. They have had to put their catches "on the board" and have canneries bid on them.

Vancouver and Prince Rupert are the two main places where this is done.

According to Neish, fishermen last season received 6c a pound less for halibut and 5c less for salmon than they did the year before.

"As far as we can tell from the price of fish in the stores, this lower price was not passed on to the public," he said. "We maintain the fishermen are entitled to a fair price and that is what we will seek to establish."

He said the price scale would be international and would apply from Alaska to Seattle.

BRITISH SALT MINE

The only salt mine in the United Kingdom, in Cheshire, for centuries has produced brown salt for winter road work.

Hedy LaMarr Files Suit For Divorce

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 14 (AP)—Hedy LaMarr filed a divorce suit Wednesday against her fourth husband, Acapulco resort owner Ernest (Ted) Stauffer, charging cruelty. The actress complained she was treated "in an inhuman manner on many occasions" during their seven months of marriage. Miss LaMarr asked no alimony.

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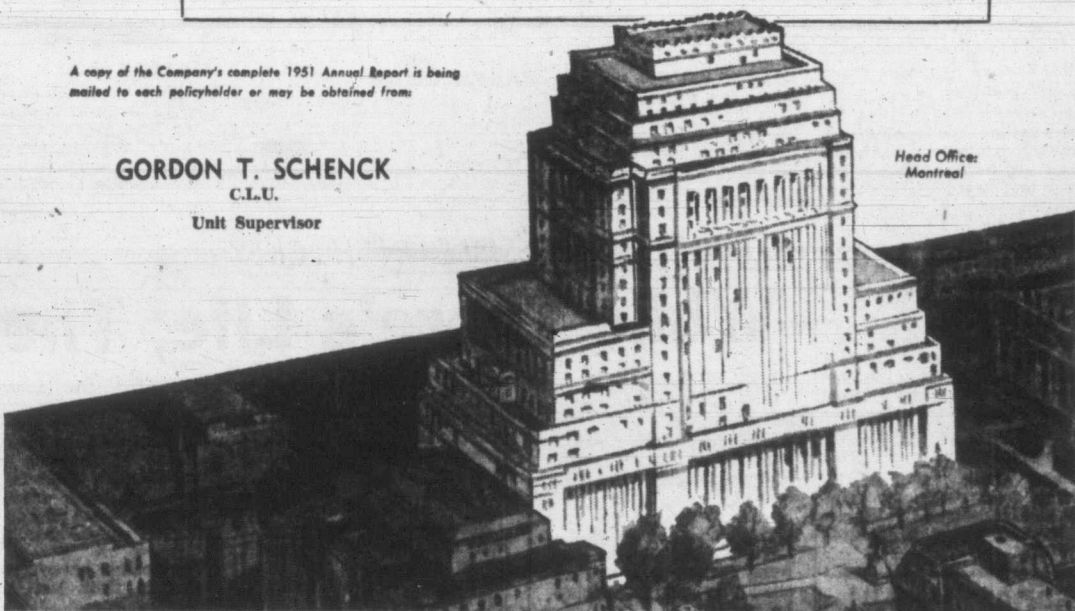
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	1931	3,109,070,500.	93,235,849.	594,185,418.
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IT'S MY VIEW

By BILL WALKER, Sports Editor

Basketball has received more than its share of publicity this year with little to show for the efforts except a dark-horse entry in the forthcoming British Columbia championships which open this Saturday at the Victoria High School gym, with the Island final between Alberni and Victoria.

The most recent tirade centres about a difference of opinion between president Tommy Carson of the Victoria and District League and Pat Horgan, manager of the Individuals, or as now is the case—the second ex-manager of Individuals, Sid Watson being the first.

Horgan laid the blame for the mix-up over the scheduling and eventual cancellation of the Kinsmen tournament on Carson's doorstep. But the manner in which he castigated the league official left Carson with little alternative but to air the problem publicly, an action which summarily led to Horgan's suspension. However, Carson, in our opinion, should have relinquished the chair to a subordinate during proceedings, the chair to a subordinate during proceedings.

On the surface, it appears that this was a clash of personalities with Carson, the lordly ruler of all he surveys in his official capacity, having had his dignity ruffled, and Horgan, not being as well versed in the intricacies of organization and its complexities, spouting off before he had a chance to change his mind.

The "trial" or so it was termed was hardly that. Reports are that Horgan did not get a fair hearing being pronounced guilty and then asked to prove his innocence. If so, this is in contradiction to the accepted democratic practice and Horgan has a right to appeal. At least, he has some interesting information that was not allowed as evidence at the first sitting.

It seems that Carson overstepped the bounds of his authority recently, intimating by letter to the Vancouver Island Basketball Association that Individuals' participation in the senior A men's playdowns was of questionable nature and the association would be advised to contact Individuals in this regard.

The league president would have been better advised to have first contacted the Individuals, namely Horgan, on this subject before making overtures to the Island body.

Alberni May Be In For A Surprise

Be that as it may, Individuals will compete in the playdowns beginning here Saturday night, and although they have not had the provincial competition on which a true rating can be reached as to their potentiality, it appears that Alberni may be in for a slight shock if they expect any pink tea party. Viduals have fared extremely well against highly-rated touring clubs.

Carson has done a lot for basketball and can do a lot more if he would only remember that the sport is at the lowest ebb of its once glorious history here. And also that the game needs a boost, not the continual bickering that has marred the relationship between these two factions of late after a pleasant beginning.

Horgan was probably at fault for his remarks which hardly were of a complimentary nature and which left go doubt as to the direction in which they were pointed.

It was obvious that the Kinsmen tourney was doomed to failure even before it got out of the blueprint stage because of the lack of a suitable floor to accommodate the fans needed to make it a financial success and also because of the hasty nature of its re-inception.

If the warring parties who both are sincere would only realize that it was just two short years ago that the senior basketball pot on the Island boiled over and left a sorry mess, the odor of which is only now leaving the area about the Alberni canal; then, perhaps, they would be willing to settle their differences and work towards "the betterment of basketball in Victoria."

'The Betterment Of Basketball'

Judging from reports of the "trial," it appears that Horgan deserved a suspension or like penalty, but he also deserved a fairer representation than he received. But why ain't the ugly mess again?

The Island finals open here Saturday. And if Horgan wishes an audience were certain he can get one from British Columbia prexy Wilf Cain. Carson likewise should be represented. Cain's decisions in the past, have, to us at least, always been impartial, and we've no doubt he could settle this tempest in a matter of minutes.

Individuals' chances in the series rest with having harmony on their club ball, and if Horgan and Carson can help create that harmony, then they will truly be working for what both aver is their sole interest, "the betterment of basketball in Victoria."

After all, with Alberni having proven their ability in games with mainland squads this year, it appears that the island champion won't be going along for the ride when the blue plate special gets away. And Individuals rate on a par with Alberni in our books, especially with the first two games of the series in their home arena.

JOE MAKES IT OFFICIAL 'THROUGH WITH BOXING'

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 14 (BUP).—Former heavyweight boxing champ Joe Louis has put an end to speculation about when he would quit the ring and announced he was "through with fighting . . . except exhibition matches."

The Brown Bomber said he had not only given up an idea of regaining his title, but any exhibition bouts he would put on in the future would be with oversized gloves. "As long as there's no title at stake," Louis said, "regular training gloves are small enough."

Louis denied anything had happened to cause him to make the announcement.

"I've been thinking about it for quite a while," he said, "and I guess now is as good a time to announce it as any."

He said he had no exhibition matches lined up at the moment, but expected to make a "few this spring."

Art Ngai, Nancy Craig Win City Paddle Titles

Art Ngai and Nancy Craig were crowned winners of the Victoria Table Tennis Association's annual club championships at the Club Sirocco Wednesday night. Ngai in particular giving a dazzling display.

Art Ngai proved he had the determination and fortitude to come through in the clutch when he downed brother Eddie in one of the best-played sets witnessed in years.

The champ lost the first two games and then broke through for three successive wins.

After being down 19-14 in the third game, he garnered seven straight points.

He had little or no trouble winning the fourth game, as he took his brother 21-16, but in the final contest he battled his way from a 19-16 deficit to take the game and title.

FIVE STRAIGHT
Nancy Craig won her fifth straight women's singles championship by defeating Val Druce in straight games, 21-13, 21-14 and 21-17.

SPORTS MENU

TONIGHT
Basketball
8:30—Lower Island Intermediate B boys playoffs: McMorran vs. Mount View High School, Sooke Community Hall, (Mount View leads two game total-point series by two points).
Hockey
8:30—P.C.H.L. Tacoma Rockets vs. Victoria Cougars, Memorial Arena.



Knees Up John, Alberni Is Coming

Johnny Clark's legs may not be the most shapely in Victoria, but right now they are the most important—that is, to basketball fans. Clark has been sidelined for two months with a bad calcium deposit on that knee being examined intently by

Joan Maxwell-Smith. But there is good news from John. He will be in strip Saturday night when Individuals meet Alberni Athletics in the first game of the Vancouver Island senior A basketball playoffs.

Clark's Gam No Longer Gimpy—Plays Saturday

TIME OUT! By Jeff Keate



"Of course I know what day today is, Dear—it's the opening day of the Winter Olympics in Oslo, Norway."

Hoop Final At Sooke Tonight

Sooke senior C men's basketball team will meet Gordon Head All-Blacks in an exhibition game tonight at 9:30 in the Sooke Community Centre.

On the same card, McMorran Intermediate B boys will tangle with Mount View High School in the final game of a home-and-home total-point series for the lower Island championship at 8:30. The Mount View cagers hold a two-point lead in the series.

Alleys Closed

All bowling alleys in the Greater Victoria area will remain closed until 6 p.m. Friday in respect to the funeral of King George VI. Regular league play will be held in the evening.

Two solid months of hot fomentations, heat lamp treatments and exercising have combined for something that may give Victorians their biggest surprise since Coalition ended.

About three and a half months ago Individuals were playing Buchanan's Bakery, of Seattle, in an exhibition senior A basketball game.

Late in the game, Johnny Clark, Victoria's starry bucketman, went up for a rebound. When he came down with the ball he kept going down—until he was flat on the floor. His knee had collapsed.

The injury was painful but John just taped it up and kept exercising it. He didn't miss any games. This business went on until mid-December when Individuals played a home-and-home series with Alberni Athletics.

The locals played at Alberni and won a thriller. Clark pushed up 24 points, but collapsed at the end of the game when his leg folded up like a piece of spaghetti. He was not able to play the return game and Viduals lost.

That was it for John. He hasn't played since, but he's going to be out there Saturday night when Individuals meet Alberni in the first game of the Vancouver Island final.

ANDERSON COMPLIMENTED

The man responsible for Clark's recovery is Dave Anderson, a hydro-therapist at the Crystal Garden. Dave took an interest in John's knee, saying it was the worst athletic injury of his kind he had ever seen. But he was determined he would cure the aching ligaments. In fact, he said, that if he did not fix it, John could take over his business, lock, stock and barrel.

TRAINING SCHEDULE

And so it began. A rigorous, religious schedule of treatments. For the first two weeks Clark could not bend his leg any more than six inches. Today, John can run and jump just as well as he could the first

day of the season. In fact he's in better shape because all these exercises have left him raring to go.

And John has a message for the people of Victoria. "The boys have improved tremendously in the last couple of weeks," he says. "Everybody is eating and sleeping basketball."

TO WIN FOR PAT

In particular, Clark referred to Wes Maultsala—"he is in better shape than any guy on the team"—and Doug Peden—"I've never seen him so keen about anything."

"We're going to win this one for Pat," John meant ex-manager Pat Horgan who was suspended Tuesday night.

Oak Bay Competition

Mrs. H. Husband carded a net 61 Tuesday to win the silver division of Victoria Golf Club's tournament. Her score was 75-14-61.

Bronze division honors went to Mrs. W. B. Leach for her 85-29-54.

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Mrs. Eaves Ninth In Olympic Slalom

American Girl First; Times Unofficial

OSLO, Feb. 14 (CP)—The United States took the lead today, first day of the 1952 Olympic Winter Games, in the unofficial battle of points.

The unofficial competition is based on the traditional 10-5-4-3-2-1 scoring for the first six places.

It was the only final event of the opening day's program, the U.S. scored 12 points in the giant slalom for women. Mrs. Andrea Mead Lawrence was the winner and Louis (Katy) Rodolph placed fifth.

NOREFJELL, Norway, Feb. 14 (CP)—Mrs. Rhoda Wurtele Eaves, 25-year-old Montreal skier, whipped down the sleet-coated Norefjell hillside in two minutes and 14 seconds to finish ninth in the women's giant slalom race that opened the sixth winter Olympic Games today.

Mrs. Eaves started off the list of 45 women skiers from 15 countries down the 1,640-yard course, a twisting descent that drops 547 yards and weaves perilously through pine trees and rocks.

Her time was more than seven seconds off the pace set by Mrs. Andrea Mead Lawrence, 19-year-old American.

Mrs. Lawrence's victory was also a progressive accomplishment for United States skiers. The United States never won an Olympic ski race until 1948 when Mrs. Gretchen Frazer, now U.S. team manager, won the slalom at St. Moritz, Switzerland.

Trude Beiser of Austria, rated as the most feared opponent of Miss Mead, was timed in 2:14.3.

The 19-year-old Mrs. Lawrence fell into the arms of her husband, David, 21, a member of the American men's ski team, and panted for several seconds after crossing the finish line.

HAPPY MOMENT
As soon as she could catch her breath she exclaimed: "Gee, it was great. The course was fine and I went faster than I thought."

Anything Can Happen On 'Fan Night'

By DENNY BOYD

Army 5, Navy 1
Merchants 2, Individuals 1
Civil Service 5, Seven-Ups 4

Twenty-five hundred people turned out at Memorial Arena Wednesday to see what the Commercial Hockey League had to offer at "Fan Appreciation Night."

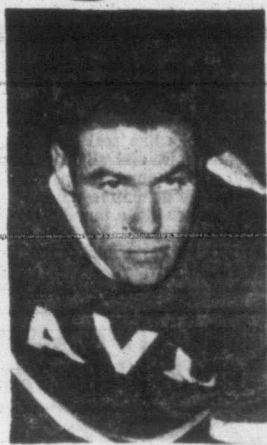
They saw everything that can possibly happen in a hockey game.

They saw popular Roy White of the Army squad carried off to hospital with a badly injured back.

They saw a substitute Army goalie rise to spectacular heights of greatness as Army halted the powerful Navy team 5-1.

They saw Cliff Coulter of Merchants go berserk with fury and try to attack referee Leo Ornest, only to be stopped by four of his teammates.

They saw a scrappy Civil Service team, paced by veteran Fred McColl, dethrone Seven-Ups 5-4.



CLIFF COULTER
... he was mad.

to move Merchants into the league lead by one point. The league winner will hinge

on the outcome of the final games of the season next week.

White, hustling playmaking forward of the Army squad, was lost for the game and possibly the rest of the season when he injured his back and arm after hitting the boards in the early minutes of the game. He was taken to Naden hospital.

The substitute goalie who performed such wonders was Doug Boettcher, formerly of Minto Braves. He stepped in when regular goalie Felix Lange was benched. It was a tough proposition, stepping cold to face a Navy team that had scored 21 goals in its last two games.

But by making stops that bordered on the unbelievable, Boettcher shut the sailors out completely until, with but five seconds left in the game and Army one man short, Ray Sheddowski managed to wiggle one past the post to break the spell. Bob Freeborn, Rocky Nash and Stew Vary were Army scorers.

The attempted attack on Ornest occurred in the Merchants-Individuals game, won by Merchants 2-1. With less than two minutes left, Rudy Pishco and Cliff Coulter had scored for Merchants to offset Norm Kowalyk's goal for Individuals.

A high-sticking duel developed and players from both teams milled around in a confused knot. When they had been broken up, Coulter was given a five-minute penalty for fighting. Ornest claimed the player tossed a punch.

Coulter promptly blew up like a can of gunpowder. His face contorted with rage, he tore after Ornest, stick held ominously high. Fortunately, Rod Jensen had the presence of mind to throw a flying tackle on Coulter when Coulter was about three feet from Ornest. But burly Jensen couldn't hold the thrashing Coulter so three more players grabbed him, threw him to the ice and finally subdued him with no actual damage done.



DOUG BOETTCHER
... he was hot.

There was no report from league officials regarding punitive action for the outburst.

Coulter was given a match misconduct.

The Civil Service victory did a complete job of scrambling the standings and lived up to the pre-game prediction of manager Bill Oliver.

Merchants are now in first place for the first time since the first month of the season. Servants gained themselves a share of fourth place with Army by following up Army's victory.

Servants ran up a 3-1 lead after two periods. Increased it to 4-1 early in the third and then saw Seven-Ups tap in three straight goals to square matters.

With less than three minutes left, Seven-Ups defenseman Ab Weibe drew a penalty and McColl promptly led the game by converting Archie MacLean's pass into the winning goal.

D. A. Thomas was the winner of the Fan Appreciation Night's top prize of a Sunbeam Mixer. A total of 26 prizes were presented by Olympic coach-elect Bruce Humber.

Rangers Loom As Playoff Threat

By The Canadian Press

Lantern-jawed Bill Cook has discovered a new way of coaxing customers into Madison Square Garden to watch his New York Rangers play hockey.

The gimmick is amazingly simple. All he has to do is get them to score a few goals.

Wednesday night, for example, 7,644 fans were sitting on their hands for the first 25 minutes while Boston Bruins took a 2-0 lead over the New Yorkers in a listless game.

Then rookie Wally Hergesheimer fired home the first of two tallies and before the startled onlookers knew what had happened the Rangers had skated off with a 6-2 victory.

Rangers' whirlwind finish, which tied them with Boston for the league N.H.L.'s fourth and last playoff spot, overshadowed the league-leading Detroit Wings' triumph over the Maple Leafs at Toronto which increased their

margin over the second-place Toronto team to 12 points.

Apart from Hergesheimer, who brought his freshman goal-scoring total to 19, Ed Kullman, Reg Sinclair, Paul Ronty and Frank Edolls fattened the New York total. Dunc Fisher and Milt Schmidt tallied for Boston.

The Red Wings move on to Chicago tonight for a date with the last-place Black Hawks. Toronto will be in Montreal, protecting their slim, three-point lead over the third-place Canadiens.

The kill of wild rabbits in the United States weighs 69,000,000 pounds in a normal year.

Bays, Vic High Golds Score Prep Cage Wins

In the first games of the Inter-High School Senior Girls Basketball League Wednesday, Oak Bay eked out a narrow 26-23 victory over Mount View Golds and Vic High Golds trounced Mount View Greens, 36-14.

The Bays built up a three-point lead in the first canto and then settled for a 10-10 tie in the following frame.

The squads played the opening contest according to boys' rules and play throughout the game was frequently ragged.

In the third quarter, both teams were on even terms, each picking up five points, as in the fourth stanza.

Marion Stevenson paced the Bays with 14 points, while Crysta Ivings and Irene Young trailed with eight and four points, respectively.

On the Vic High front, Golds had little trouble downing Mount View Greens, leading 12-8 at the first quarter and 23-9 at three-quarter time.

Chris Boyd and Bev Koski paced the winners with 10 points each, while Jackie Or-

Wilf Lepine Repeats In Dog Derby

OTTAWA, Feb. 14 (CP)—For the second straight year, a Canadian beat out an American to win the gold challenge trophy and \$1,000 in the 1952 three-day annual international sled-dog derby.

Wilf (Pit) Lepine, 31-year-old Quebec City musher, galloped across the downtown finish line, puffing a bit but an easy winner in the 90-mile classic over 17 other contestants, including two women.

Darbyshire On Speaking Tour

Ken Darbyshire, president of the Canadian Horsemen's Association, left the city Tuesday on an extended tour which will take him through eastern Canada and the United States.

Darbyshire will address several racing groups during his trip. He intends to visit Montreal, New York, Miami, New Orleans, Los Angeles and Santa Anita before arriving back in the city near the end of the month.

Minor Hockey

Minor Hockey Association has announced the following revised schedule for the pee wee division:

Feb. 21, 5 to 6 p.m.—Bruins vs. Maroons

Feb. 22, 7 to 8 p.m.—Maroons vs. Bruins

Feb. 26, 5 to 6 p.m.—Capitals vs. Bruins

United States May Yet Get '56 Olympic Games

OSLO, Feb. 14 (AP)—The probability grew Wednesday that Melbourne will lose the 1956 Olympics and that an American city may become the site instead.

The International Olympic Committee gave Melbourne until May 15 to give a positive answer on holding the games. Now that the big Melbourne Cricket Grounds are not available, only extensive financial support from the Canberra government can save the Olympics for the Australian city.

Chicago, Los Angeles, Philadelphia and Brussels quickly entered formal bids for the 1956 games. New York, Detroit, Minneapolis and San Francisco had previously expressed interest.

"If we can select one candidate and agree on it, we may get the games," said Avery Brundage of Chicago, international Olympic committee vice-president. "Otherwise we haven't a chance."

Melbourne originally won out when there was a split in the American ranks.

Los Angeles, site of the 1932 games, has a vast stadium available. So have Chicago and Philadelphia. All these hold more than 100,000 spectators. Minneapolis has the University Stadium, and San Francisco has Kezar Field, but Detroit and New York have

COMMERCIAL SUMMARIES

ARMY 5, NAVY 1
First Period—Scoring: None. Penalties: Hansen 2:05, Hill 6:47, Johnson 11:02, Vary 13:45.
Second Period—Scoring: None. Penalties: Hansen 6:04, Sheddowski 10:11, Standley 11:13, Hunter 11:15, Scudiero 14:00.
Third Period—1. Army, Freeborn (Nash) 12:00. 2. Navy, Sheddowski (Brown) 19:35. Penalties: Vary 2:35, Standley 4:15, Moran 10:36, Hunter 14:01, Hansen 14:06.
MERCHANTS 2, INDIVIDUALS 1
First Period—1. Individuals, Kowalyk (Harris) 14:46. Penalties: Hansen 4:44, Freeborn 8:09, B. Coulter 8:34, Reynolds 10:55, Delaney 19:50, R. Jensen 19:52.
Second Period—2. Merchants, Pishco 12:20. Penalties: C. Coulter 6:09, B. Coulter 8:34, Reynolds 10:55, Delaney 19:50, R. Jensen 19:52.
Third Period—No scoring. Penalties: Borna 2:45, Kibick 3:07, C. Coulter 12:50, Elliott 12:40, Elliot 14:35, Ephick 18:29, Green 18:39, C. Coulter (five minutes, misconduct) 18:39.
CIVIL SERVICE 5, SEVEN-UPS 4
First Period—1. Civil Service, Davydak (Jellison) 6:35. Penalties: None.
Second Period—1. Civil Service, Davydak (Varga) 2:35. 2. Civil Service, Cory (McColl) 1:40. 3. Civil Service, McColl 12:22. Penalties: Olson 1:28, Vopour 12:41.
Third Period—3. Civil Service, McColl (McLean) 30:36. 4. Seven-Ups, Leachman (Varga) 2:57. 5. Seven-Ups, Varga (Duchene) 17:16. 6. Civil Service, McColl (McLean) 17:14. Penalties: Cory 2:44, Quinn 14:28, Windland 17:36, Varga 18:42, Reeves 19:31.

Fred Jenkins Bowling Prexy

Victoria West Lawn Bowling Club elected Fred Jenkins president at its annual meeting Monday.

James Smith was elected vice-president, Harold Philbrook, secretary-treasurer, and W. Coats-Brown was named auditor. Management committee members are C. Bone, Jack Keating, B. Delgarno, A. McBeth, James Keating, C. Hutchinson, H. Renfrew and J. Patterson.

A. M. Dore was elected honorary president, with H. Baker and C. Fairall honorary vice-presidents.

Those chosen as delegates to the Greater Victoria Lawn Bowling Association were Alex Miller, J. W. Phillips and H. Pearce, while H. Renfrew and J. Bryant were elected delegates to the B.C. association.

Committee chairmen appointed were H. Baker, greenkeeper; J. Smith, games; Jack Keating, greens committee; Charles Hutchinson, house committee; Jim Keating, social committee.

Benefit Soccer Realizes \$311

The benefit soccer game between the Victoria and District Football Association All-Stars and Victoria United last Saturday has raised \$311 for Cliff Robbins and the injured players' fund.

However, complete returns are not in and association secretary Don Gray requests that all those who sold tickets report to him so a final figure can be reached.

The One And Only Jockey BRIEFS, SHORTS, LONGS, SHIRTS FOR MEN AND BOYS by Moodies

Reds Field Strong Side For Anderson Cup Match

Victoria United will be pitted against North Shore's strongest possible line-up in the forthcoming Anderson Cup semifinal match at Royal Athletic Park Saturday.

If the locals should capture the week-end fixture, it would make them eligible for the cup final at Vancouver a week Saturday against the winner of the other semifinal between St. Andrews and Firefighters.

Should United lose Saturday, they will revert back to Coast League play against St. Andrews the following week-end.

North Shore's line-up will have Frank Ashdown in goal, Ian Douglas and Harry Anderson, fullback, with Alex Reid, Gordon Norby and George Beckett on the half line. Fred Whittaker will be at the front line centre post, Bruce Ashdown and Trevor Harvey on the wings, and Malcolm McManus and Bobby Moulds at inside positions. Jim Spencer and Frank Rowson will act as spares. Game time is 2:30.

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Astronomers Attack World Theory

Two Victoria astronomers went on record Wednesday as disagreeing with one of the latest and most daring theories on the origin of the universe.

The scientists, Dr. K. O. Wright and Dr. Anne Underhill, astronomers at the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, Saanich, referred to the Hoyle and Lyttleton theory, at a meeting of the Victoria Centre of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada.

Hoyle and Lyttleton are two brash young English mathematicians who recently propounded an extraordinary theory of the universe which today is one of the most discussed scientific philosophies.

Dr. Wright warned the meeting held at Victoria College against taking the new theory too seriously.

He pointed out that scientists could punch holes in it because it was not entirely supported by mathematics.

He also said as far as he knew most U.S. astronomers had not accepted Hoyle's explanation of the universe.

"Of course the theory has many good points," he admitted. "Some of the arguments are also challenging."

Discussion of the matter took place after R. S. Evans, vice-president of the society, explained the fascinating theory.

He said Hoyle and Lyttleton assumed that all space is filled with thin hydrogen mixed with the dust of heavier elements. This gas was continually moving and condensing to form stars and galaxies.

Evans said the theory suggested that there were other planets similar to the earth which were inhabited. These, however, were so far away that they could not be seen with telescopes.

The theory claims there is no beginning, no end, and no circumference in either time or space," said Evans.

He pointed out that the two British scientists claimed "continuous creation"—new worlds were being created or transformed from one form to another in a space filled with hydrogen.

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IN TOWN TONIGHT

ON THE SCREEN

ATLAS—"Silver City" at 3.00, 6.17, 9.30; plus "Father Is a Bachelor."
CAPITOL—"Callaway Went Thataway."
DOMINION—"Elopement" at 1.30, 3.30, 5.30, 7.30, 9.35.
FOX—"The Great Caruso" at 7.00, 9.15.
OAK BAY—"A Cure For Love" at 7.00, 9.15.
ODEON—"Week-End With Father" at 1.00, 3.15, 5.24, 7.36, 9.53. Last show at 2.30, 4.45.
PLAZA—"Longhorn" plus "Federal Man."
ROYAL—"Starlift" at 1.00, 3.11, 5.14, 7.17, 9.25.
P.C.H.L. Hockey 8.30 tonight at the Memorial Arena, Cougars vs. Tacoma.

VANISHING CLAN

Trumpeter Swans Winter Close To City

Rare trumpeter swans wintering in and around Victoria are proving major attractions wherever they settle down to idle the time away.

The big birds have been snapped by scores of amateur photographers on the Gorge and the flooded Panama flats. They also have been admired by hundreds on Esquimalt harbor.

Trumpeter swans, which once numbered in the countless thousands, are rarely seen today. The species is close to extinction. There are only between 700 and 900 of the breed in North America.

Two years ago a few trumpeters wintered around Victoria, but all died as a result of lead poisoning.

Admits Stealing \$4,000 To Help Very Sick Husband

VANCOUVER, Feb. 14 (CP).—Mrs. Zona L. Perkins, 50, Wednesday admitted in court she stole \$4,000 from her employers and said she did it to meet financial reverses experienced by her seriously ill husband.

She was sentenced to six months in jail by Magistrate Oscar Orr, who said: "This is the least sentence I can give you."

Mrs. Perkins, former assistant treasurer of the Street Railwaymen's Credit Union, also admitted that she "lost" an additional \$1,500 of that organization's funds.

She said she must have accidentally thrown the \$1,500 into the garbage after taking it home.

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IN HOLLYWOOD

Errol Flynn Uses Gimmick In Effort To Gain Privacy

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 14 (AP).—Errol Flynn says it's tough being a movie star.

For example, the world seems full of people who want to get their names in the papers because they soaked Errol Flynn.

"It's a downright menace," the Tasmanian-born actor declared. "I have virtually given up going out at all. I never frequent the night clubs any more."

"I forgot myself and went out to the Beverly Hills Club on New Year's Eve. Why, I don't know. Because, sure enough, some fellow decided he wanted to punch me."

"He was someone I had never seen before and will never see again. How I could incite him with my back turned, I will never know. But I turned around and saw him swinging at me."

"The one thing I miss is privacy. I have never been able to get used to being constantly stared at wherever I went."

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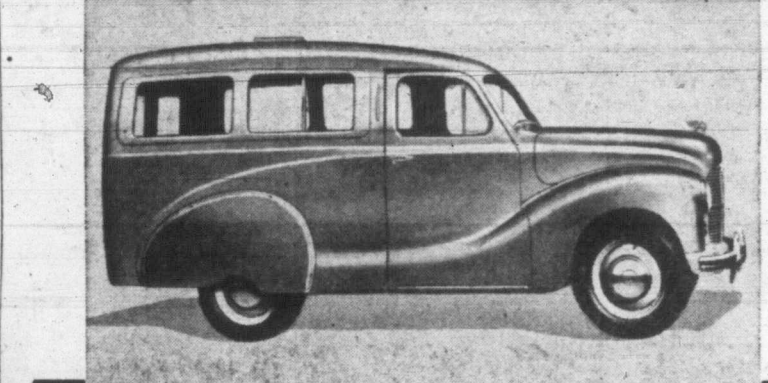
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Probe Reveals Alleged Loot

Investigation Continues After Two Men
Held On Minor Charge For Saanich Court

More than \$1,000 worth of property, believed to have been stolen, has been recovered by Saanich police and R.C.M.P. investigators.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES

U.S.S. Charles E. Brannon (DE) will berth at the main jetty in Esquimalt Harbor Saturday afternoon.

Cmdr. E. V. Converse, 12 officers and 195 men are on a training cruise out of Tacoma, and will be at Esquimalt overnight.

The ship is a 1,700-ton destroyer escort of the Budderow class. She was built in 1944.

Solon Low and Ernest Hansel, Social Credit parliamentary leader and president of the national association of Social Crediters, will speak here at 8 to-night, by the medium of recordings. W. L. Fahy, president of Victoria Group No. 1, will be chairman at the public meeting in Williams Hall, 794 Broughton.

R. Forgie has been named by the B.C. Labor Relations Board to act in the capacity of conciliation officer in a wage dispute between United Packinghouse Workers of America (C.C.L.C.I.O.) and Brackman-Ker Milling Co. Ltd.

Negotiations are being carried on in Vancouver, but affect employees of the feed firm in Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster, Chilliwack and Fraser Valley points.

Tail tales will be told and good times recalled when former members of the 51st Edmonton Battalion gather Saturday night for their annual reunion. The old soldier's party will be held at the Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, starting at 8.

Gordon G. Melville, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Melville, 2776 Seaview, has received a bachelor of science degree in optometry from Pacific University, Forest Grove, Oregon.

Little progress having been made in negotiations between representatives of 30 Victoria glassworkers and officials of glass distributing firms, the union side has suggested negotiations for Victoria glaziers be conducted in Vancouver along with wage talks for mainland glassworkers.

As yet, the management side has not replied to the suggestion. The glassworkers, who belong to the Painters and Decorators Union (T.L.C.A.F.L.) are seeking a 50-cent-an-hour increase, plus other concessions.

H.M.C.S. Quebec is nearing the final stages of shakedown cruises and trial runs. On Feb. 22, she will have her full power trials and on Feb. 25, is scheduled for drydock, for final adjustments before leaving for service in the Atlantic.

Victoria's R.C.A.F. (Auxiliary) Radar Squadron will fall in Friday at 4:30 at Bay and Blanshard Streets to march to Bay Street Armoury for memorial service to King George. Medals will be worn, but no raincoats or greatcoats.

Victoria's weather Friday will be cloudy with sunny periods and no rain, although there will be a few showers overnight. The weatherman said today. Temperatures will range from 35 to 47 degrees and winds will be south-west 15.

Damages Sought From City Firm

A damage suit for breach of contract for services against Dermetics Ltd., Pemberton Building, opened in Supreme Court today before Mr. Justice A. D. Macfarlane.

Plaintiff in the civil suit is Harry R. Lumby, 56 Moss, a salesman.

The defendant firm imports and distributes cosmetics in Victoria and other parts of Vancouver Island.

Lumby claims the firm failed to live up to an agreement to pay him \$100 a month, plus commission, for acting in the capacity of a salesman. The agreement, Lumby alleges, was for a period of three years.

Lumby is represented by R. Price. Jack Rutan is counsel for Dermetics Ltd.

HAVE A HEART

By MONTE ROBERTS
This is the Day of Saint Valentine, When lovers sob "Oh, please be mine." This is the day for Victoria people To shout their devotion from cellar and steeple.

All husbands this day must love all wives, And for twenty-four hours devote their lives To billing and cooing and presents and flowers. (But only, of course, for those twenty-four hours.)

"I'm a shrinking violet," says Mayor C. Harrison, "I find publicity is most embarrassing." "When I say to Victoria, 'please be mine,' Use only the smallest eight-column line."

Cries George I. Warren to Weatherman Mackie, "I'm your adoring slave, your faithful lackey. 'I'd just love to be your Valentine. 'If you'll promise me the sun will shine."

When the political cauldron comes to a boil, And candidates start to distribute the oil, "We'll LOVE all you voters—that is a cinch— Say Johnson, Anscomb, Wismer and Winch.

McKay and Cormack send cupid's arrows, To V.M.D. and Dockyard and Yarrow. "Us little fellows are in a daze, 'Cause you seem to have such winning ways."

Canadian Pacific loves Black Ball Line, For this is the day of Valentine. So toot the whistle, and ring the gong, And will someone please write a CP song?

Even Ogopogo, in his interior lair, Is willing, for once, to be quite fair. And admit, for today, as tourist bait, Our very own Caddy may be equally great.

Thus sentiments sweet fly all around, Even cats love dogs at the city pound; Reporters adore their city editors, And happily smile at all their creditors.

So sing a song of cupid and kisses, Take candy home to kids and missus, Borrow the dough—there'll be no refusal, When tomorrow comes, you can snarl as usual.

Detectives Deny 'Brow Beating'

City detectives in police court today denied suggestions by lawyer Arthur Dave that they had "brow-beaten" a youth to get a statement in connection with a burglary.

Denials came in the preliminary hearing of James Rigby (defended by Dave), and Alyffe Hubert, juveniles charged jointly with the entry and robbery of the Lone Star Service Station last month.

Thomas J. L. Robinson, 16, earlier pleaded guilty to the robbery. He has received a two-year penitentiary term for this and other break-ins.

Detectives J. Deans Blackstock and Norman Bath both denied a suggestion by Dave they had threatened Rigby to obtain a confession.

At one point the lawyer asked Blackstock: "Did you hear Detective Bath say he would beat Rigby up?"

The detective said no such threat was made.

Hubert and Rigby were committed for trial in a higher court at the conclusion of the hearing.

The charge against Hubert of another breaking and entering offense was remanded to Saturday to set a day for hearing.

Ivor Hunt, 23, the only adult arrested in the police drive to quash a petty crime wave, was further remanded to Monday for sentence. He pleaded guilty to a charge of attempting to break into a premises.

To Protest Fares' Boost

B.C. Electric's bid for increased bus fares is certain to be subject of critical discussion by Victoria's two main labor groups at meetings scheduled for next Wednesday.

Officials of the Victoria Labor Council (C.C.L.) say a resolution opposing the increase is almost sure to be introduced and will probably receive strong support.

They say, too, it is possible the council may go into the question of having the transportation company put under public ownership.

The T.L.C. organization, the Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council, will probably oppose the rate increase, but is not likely to take a stand in favor of public ownership.

The last time public ownership was discussed, the council heard strong objections from B.C. Electric union employees, who were solidly behind private ownership and were against the idea of working for a government-owned company. On a vote, the council defeated a motion in favor of public ownership.

Among reasons already given by the company for seeking the increase in fares is that, effective March 1, it will have to grant a 12½-cent-an-hour increase to its transit employees, bringing basic pay for bus drivers to \$1.51 an hour.

"I want to come back here and live in your beautiful city," Thousands of Victoria school children will back him on that one.

Knee-Hi, freshly washed and looking as white as snow, popped in to say good-bye to the guests too.

It was a great dinner. Victoria isn't going to feel the same after "Doc" and Knee-Hi go away.



A memory: Artist Elmay Flett, Dr. and Mrs. George Brunson and oil painting of safety pup Knee-Hi. (Times Photo.)

Mayor May Drop Arena Probe But Pursues His Own Inquiries

FULL BUDGET

MLA's Face Session Of Four Weeks

By GORDON FORBES
Unless the big Liberal caucus meeting next Monday changes the government's mind, a full budget will be presented to the forthcoming session of the Legislature, it was learned authoritatively today.

This would mean a session of at least four weeks and then a general provincial election probably in June or as soon as the election machinery can be thrown into high gear.

It is known the government's present thinking leans toward presentation of the 1952-53 budget regardless of what course of action is decided for the Legislature's program, and how far it should go before an election.

Most Cabinet ministers appear reluctant merely to vote supply so money would be available to run the province. They feel that would be unsound, and would present numerous pitfalls.

However, if the government does present a full budget without going into a complete session, it will have a sticky time trying to limit business to just that. On the budget debate, members can talk on practically any subject. This could drag the session on much longer than the government desires.

Hospital Costs To Be Boosted By \$2,000,000

An additional \$2,000,000 will be added to soaring hospital insurance costs in the forthcoming fiscal year because of the increased number of beds in British Columbia hospitals.

This brings the total of increased costs to about \$5,500,000. Increased labor costs, reckoned earlier this year, added \$3,500,000 to the scheme's costs.

The \$2,000,000 increase in costs for beds is figured this way. During the past year, roughly 560 new beds have been added to hospitals in Vancouver and Victoria. Annual cost of operation per bed is estimated at about \$3,800 a year.

The picture is not bright, and it appears as if the government is going to have to dig deep into its coffers to pull the burdened scheme out of the red again this year.

Still a big question mark is the costs which may arise from recommendations made by the hospital insurance inquiry board. Implementation of these recommendations may be costly.

However, the board is also expected to make recommendations which will lead to cuts in operating costs.

For instance, drastic reduction in the more than 600-person staff is expected.

Workers Seek Higher Wages, More Holidays

Victoria local of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees and Other Transportation Workers (C.C.L.) is out after wage increases and concessions for truckers and other employees of Evans, Coleman and Johnson Bros. Ltd. and Island Freight Service Ltd.

First negotiation meeting between union representatives and officials of the building supply firm of Evans, Coleman and Johnson was held Wednesday. First negotiation meeting with Island Freight is scheduled for Monday.

The union is seeking a 35-cent-an-hour increase for truckers and yard employees at the building supply firm; three weeks' annual vacation with pay for men with over 10 years' service and nine paid statutory holidays a year, instead of the present three.

About 60 employees are concerned. Present basic rate for drivers is \$1.27 an hour.

At Island Freight, the union is asking a 50-cent-an-hour increase for drivers; three weeks' paid vacation after 10 years' service, and nine statutory holidays, instead of the present three.

About 55 employees are affected at this firm. Existing rate of pay for drivers is \$1.15 and \$1.20 an hour.

Full Airing Of Problems At City Hall To Continue

By AILEEN CAMPBELL

Inquiry under oath into Memorial Arena contracts, promised by Mayor Claude Harrison in his inaugural address, may not be legally possible.

The mayor said today he was studying the whole matter and would have the legal department go into the question. At the same time he deplored what he termed the handing over of city powers to boards and commissions.

"If it cannot legally be done or there is legal doubt about our right to do it, it will not be done," he said.

Difficulty hinges on the fact that the city has no control over the arena now, since it turned it over to a body corporate, the mayor said.

"There is a question of law as to how far it can be investigated," he added.

"It is a mistake to give away a city's powers — if the mayor and aldermen are any good at all they should retain in their hands all city matters. I don't think anything should be shoved off to a commission."

"It's not the remedy. Remedy is to have a good council of men who will think and not try to rush things through. As a result of rushing things through we get in these fixes."

Comment on the arena situation was inspired by a query at a dinner of the Chamber of Commerce Wednesday night, when Mayor Harrison in a fighting speech replied to his critics on everything from the city manager system to the shake-up in the public works.

At the same meeting he declared the city "foolishly" gave away Dunsuir Castle to the Greater Victoria School Board for the sum of \$1.

"These are the kind of things that have been going on for years over there," he said, waving in direction of City Hall.

Discussing recent debate in council over payment of the city manager's Union Club dues-out of city funds, the mayor said the "most startling thing about it" was that the act was kept out of minutes of the finance committee.

"Have I done one thing which would cause any honest man to say I was doing something sneaky or improper? These things must come out in the open and they will continue to come out as long as I'm mayor," Harrison declared amid applause.

He claimed "very important principles were involved," even though the issues were small in themselves.

"It's wrong to take money out of the taxpayers' pockets and spend it without accounting for every penny."

He said there were two kinds of persons objecting to the open what he called "evils of civic government"—those who were themselves to blame and wanted to hide it and those who specialized in "sniping" at anyone in public office with fresh ideas.

He replied to a charge that he had hired a man for work in the public works department over the manager's head.

"It was not a case of over the manager's head. The manager has nothing to do with temporary employment. His duty is with regard to the permanent staff."

He said the man in question came to him broke and out of work and he asked the department to try to find him work for a few days to "keep the wolf from the door."

"I never heard such rot," said the mayor. "If the mayor can't help a man in distress, God help this town."

He told the meeting of the many calls and letters he had received complimenting his stand and urged the Junior Chamber to support the principles behind his actions.

Kid Can Learn Wireless But Reporter Baffled

By MONTE ROBERTS
Times Marine Reporter

The basic principles of wireless telegraphy are so simple even a child of 10 can grasp them.

Our trouble is, we're not a child of 10.

Thus the small, white-painted, flat-roofed cabin at Gordon Head will forever remain an awesome chamber of necromantic mystery.

The other day we asked Syd Elliott, the senior operator, to explain how the Gordon Head wireless operates. Syd has had 35 years with the radio branch of the Department of Transport, so presumably his explanation packed weight, authority and accuracy.

But you couldn't prove it by us.

About all we absorbed was a healthy respect for Syd and the other operators—George Holmer, Ronny Thomas, Ralph Keller and Ernie Coe—who split their round-the-clock watch into eight-hour tricks.

Somehow, they make sense out of the cawing and bawling walls pouring out of various speakers and overflowing from earphones. In addition to Department of Transport and other government business, they transmit about 60,000 words of commercial (that means paid) business each month.

Reaching a ship at sea seems, on the surface, as simple as dialing your telephone. The operator looks up the ship call in a letters directory, finds its letters and frequency, and sends out the call.

The call goes out over the international distress frequency—500 kilocycles—and the ship's operator then "calls back" on Gordon Head's working frequency—441.

CLEAR FREQUENCY

The distress frequency is used only to make contact. When an SOS is flashed, the distress frequency cannot be used for anything but contact with the ship in trouble.

Gordon Head, of course, is constantly tuned to 500. The infernal racket on this frequency sometimes becomes almost more than a man can bear; to remove any temptation to tune it out, the receiver of this frequency is in the basement of Syd's house, a couple of hundred yards from the radio room.

The boys tell us their ears are used to the noise, and automatically tune out signals they aren't interested in. Must be wonderful training for a husband.

I.W.A. COMPLAIN OF LOST WAGES

Victoria local of the International Woodworkers of America (C.C.L.C.I.O.) has expressed disapproval over the manner in which the provincial government declared Friday a statutory holiday.

The proclamation, issued under the Factories Act, has caused confusion among employees and employers alike, the union says.

Since the I.W.A. has nothing in its present contract to give members any paid statutory holidays, the Friday holiday will mean they will have to stay away from work and lose a day's pay which, the union claims, they can ill afford.

LABOR WANTS CABINET TO TALK POLICY

Vitality Concerned
With Legislation

B.C. labor will ask the provincial cabinet next week to say what changes the government proposes to make to three important pieces of legislation at the coming session before any of the proposed amendments become law.

Both the B.C. Federation of Labor, which speaks for all C.C.L. unions in the province, and the B.C. executive of the T.L.C., which is the voice of T.L.C. unions, have appointments with the cabinet next Wednesday.

It is understood both will submit briefs asking for certain changes to the Workmen's Compensation Act, the Hospital Insurance Act and the I.C.A. Act, and will ask what changes the government proposes.

R. K. Gervin, chairman of the T.L.C. provincial organization, says: "Government should take labor into its confidence and make known what its plans are on these acts, so that they meet with labor's viewpoint."

George Home, secretary of the C.C.L. provincial body, declares: "Some recommendations we may make, others we may have to protest through a second trip to the cabinet."

SPECIAL REPORTS

The government is expected to base amendments on three special reports which have been prepared on the three specified pieces of legislation.

Chief Justice Gordon McG. Sloan has filed a Royal Commission report on Workmen's Compensation (see page 2), and two special committees of the Legislature have put forward recommendations concerning the Hospital Insurance and I.C.A. Acts.

Should government plans conflict with the wishes of labor, it is possible the two organizations may call emergency union conferences to protest.

They might even combine their efforts as they did during the last session when they conducted a public campaign in opposition to the raising of hospital insurance premiums and introduction of co-insurance.

While that campaign was not successful in changing the government's mind, labor leaders feel a similar drive would be effective this year in view of the present government's slim majority, brought about because of the recent break between Coalition Liberals and Conservatives.

Soldiers Injured By Dynamite Cap's Surprise Explosion

One soldier lost a thumb and another suffered painful hand injuries Wednesday night in the explosion of dynamite cap.

Taken to H.M.C.S. Naden Hospital by the Naval Shore Patrol were L.Bdr. R. J. Dwyer, who lost the thumb on his right hand, and Gnr. B. L. Garside, his right hand badly burned and cut. They are both of Work Point Barracks.

They reportedly had picked up one of several caps they found in a doorway in the 600 block of Yates.

Police believe a cigarette held by one of the soldiers set off the cap.

MARINERS PLEASE NOTE

Sandheads Lightship, mouth of the Fraser River, is again showing its proper characteristics.

Royal Victoria Yacht Club will be closed all day Friday, the national day of mourning.

SHOPPING GUIDE

Tricot Nylon Shadow Slip For New Spring Sheers!

By PENNY SAVER

There is a nip in the air but it won't be long before we women will be able to blossom forth in filmy sheers. They are as much of a relief to see as to wear after a winter of heavy material ensembles.

But there is a must that all should remember. A sheer dress needs a shadow slip under it to make it as smart as it should be. Through the years there has been one type of shadow slip and another, but this year they have topped all previous creations. One of the leading manufacturers has put a new nylon tricot shadow slip on the market that is really revolutionary.

The slip has a 60-denier panel down the front that is only one thickness so you don't have that rustling sound when you move. And the cut—you'll love it. Usually they are cut straight and that is that.

Not so with this little number. It is styled in princess lines with three gores and fits like the paper on the wall.

You're not going to have to pay an exorbitant price for this new shadow slip either. The price tag is marked \$5.95 and the slip comes in white and pink.

Something To Amuse The Children

There will still be dull days ahead when the children will have to play in the house and naturally will get under foot.

On these days your patience is tried to the ultimate and you are at a loss trying to think of something to amuse them with. How about letting them make their own suckers? It can be done and without too much trouble and mess.

Saw a little set for just such an operation in town the other day.

It comprised of plastic molds which you fill with a soft drink or fruit juice. You then put a sucker stick in the mold and pop it in the ice cube section of your refrigerator.

When it is frozen you will find that the suckers will leave the mold with ease and the children will be delighted with their "home-made" suckers.

Women's Groups Sponsor Spring Fashion Showing

The three-day Spring Fashion Show arranged by Hudson's Bay Company to present the newest in the season's mode will be sponsored by three women's groups.

Women's Canadian Club is in charge of arrangements for the showing on Thursday, Feb. 21; Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie Chapter, I.O.D.E. on Friday, Feb. 22; and City Council, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority on Saturday, Feb. 23.

Afternoon tea will be served at 3 o'clock each day and the fashion show will commence at 3.45.

Mrs. Gordon Wismer is convening arrangements for Women's Canadian Club and will receive those attending with Mrs. W. H. Wilson and Mrs. E. S. Farr, president and vice-president.

Mrs. H. D. Parizeau, regent of Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie Chapter, is in charge of arrangements for the second day's showing assisted by Mrs. P. Dutoit and Mrs. J. W. Gillam.

Miss Joyce McCuaig is completing arrangements for the showing on Saturday, Feb. 23, for Beta Sigma Phi.

The fashion show will feature the new silhouette and other new trends for 1952 and will present the complete transition that has taken place in fashions, also a whole range of new colors.

Suits, coats, dresses and evening wear will be on view and those attending any one of the three shows will be interested in the "accent on femininity" that characterizes the new silhouette, and in the carrying of this motif into accessories and millinery.

A limited number of tickets are available for each day's showing and may be procured from members of the three women's groups or at the Hudson's Bay store.

Arrangements for refreshments will be the same as for the last formal dance with every girl taking sandwiches or cake. A collection for pop will be taken each Monday evening.

Convening refreshments are Mesdames E. Anderson and M. Omdah and Miss Pam Temple. Misses Margaret Hotchkiss, Jean Webb, Jennie Shypanski and Eleanor Fletcher are in charge of decorations.

Secretary, Miss Beth Timothy, will be junior representative accompanied by senior, Mrs. Biss, at next meeting of Y.M.C.A. program council.

CLUB WOMEN'S NEWS

Whist Party—At the recent meeting of Canadian Daughters' League, Assembly No. 5, plans were made for a court whist, February 26, under convener of Mrs. R. Milburn. Mrs. G. Gardner presided and Mrs. R. H. McInnes, West Vancouver, was welcomed. Mrs. H. Hewitt, educational convener, spoke on "Steps to Canadian Citizenship," and Mrs. C. Jasper reported on the annual meeting of the Local Council of Women.

There's nothing like a rich chocolate brownie to make folks sit up and take notice. Give them this glamor treatment for special occasions. After you spread the batter in the pan, arrange 16 large buttery walnut halves evenly over the dough. Bake as usual and cut into squares with one walnut half in the middle of each.

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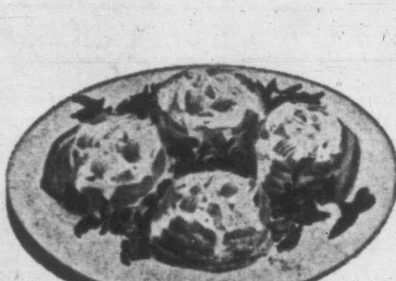
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WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Tired? Check This Group Of Factors Which Cause It

Yesterday I suggested that you investigate and overcome dragging fatigue which dampens so much enthusiasm and makes life laborious compared to what it could be.

Often this condition can be remedied by very simple measures, although, of course, it is sometimes much more complex. Today I am going to give you a list of factors which may lead to fatigue so that you can check yourself in these matters.

1. Boredom and monotony. It was actually proven during the last war that monotony slows up production and causes fatigue. Music was used to overcome this, as well as short rest periods. Add variety to your routine and daily life.

2. Poison which enters our bloodstream in small doses. This may come from diseased teeth or tonsils or sinuses, constipation or other sources of infection.

3. Poor posture. 4. Low blood pressure. If this is not pathological you can thank it for a long life. A slow pulse and a low blood pressure lead to longevity but they do make you feel tired.

5. Hurry. 6. Worry. 7. Vitamin deficiencies. 8. Too little sleep or exercise. 9. Fallen or weak arches. 10. Eye strain.

11. Friction among family or workers. 12. Other emotional factors such as envy or hate or jealousy.

13. Bad conditions under which to work, such as rooms that are too hot or too cold, bad lighting, or chairs and desks which are too high or too low.

14. Standing for long hours, especially on very hard floors.

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Slick Tailoring Puts A Penalty On Extra Inches—Watch Your Diet

LONDON, Feb. 13 (CP)—It's voo to those extra inches for those who would wear the slickest of London's tailored spring styles.

Lachasse, a British-designing firm which specializes in tailored styles to the extent that evening dresses are not included in its collection, offers a silhouette as slim as the slender rolled umbrellas that are part of the fashion picture.

Skirts have more freedom of movement in back panel pleating or side slits, but in front they are reed slim without even a tuck at the waistline.

So, ladies, turn down that chocolate éclair. The jackets on these suits are as rigidly slender as the skirts.

An innovation is the cabochon shoulder, so-called by designer Michael of Lachasse. This is softly padded in a downward slant and is so long that the sleeves start two or three inches below the normal shoulder line. These are so slender they look like jumper sleeves and merely continue the feminine roundness of the sloping line, broken only by the tiny winged cuffs.

Most of the jackets have hip padding, but this lends no bulkiness to the reed-slim line. Instead, it emphasizes the tightness of small waists and the smooth line of the pelum. An exagger-

ated roll to waist-deep revers and a neat cut-away to jacket fronts adds to the perpendicular trend of the design.

Michael also introduces the "mascher jacket," a feminine interpretation reminiscent of Edwardian days. The unwaisted, blazer-length jacket has rounded shoulders and cuffed sleeves that don't quite reach bottom. Pockets are low, revers are high and of the three buttons only the top one is used. This gives the jacket a cut-away line, and a slimness at hem emphasizes the fact that the bottom buttons were not designed for fastening.

In both types of suit, the designer prefers silk and organza cravats with matching cuffs rather than blouses. There are also waistcoats in crisp striped poplins and spotted taffetas.



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Barbara Brent's BUYS AND WHYS A WEEKLY INFORMATION SERVICE

MONTREAL, Feb. 14th—Here's my "Tip-of-the-Week" for you-o-u... Look for KRAFT DINNER in a brand new package... the bright yellow and red package that's really an eye-catcher. "Kraft Dinner" is a wonderful, kind-to-your-budget, good-to-eat dish that you won't want to miss! In fact you'll always want to have it handy for "get-ready-quick" meals and unexpected dinner guests. You see, "Kraft Dinner" is a real main dish... a delicious macaroni-and-cheese combination that cooks to tasty lightness in only 7 minutes. And so economical, too. One package of "Kraft Dinner" contains enough for a main dish for four... for less than 4¢ a serving.

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It's A Toast to health and beauty when you drink the juice of one fresh lemon in a glass of water first thing on arising... for this natural fruit drink helps keep you regular... the beautiful water doesn't "tie you up in knots" as harsh laxatives do... just gently helps your system regulate itself. So take my tip... if you're feeling "low n' grumpy"—follow this healthful lemon formula for feeling better. It always makes me feel like a new woman... but one thing I make a point of remembering: I always ask for SUNKIST-CALIFORNIA LEMON JUICE. You see, they're the finest, juiciest grown.

You'll Be His Favourite Valentine... when you serve any one of the delicious HEINZ CONDENSED SOUPS... for in any one of the lots of ways you can serve them! Yes, "Soup's On!" means something specially good when the soup you serve is Heinz. You see, the folks at Heinz are soup specialists. They combine long experience with great skill to bring you the very best of flavour-packed soup. And there are more than just a few good ways to enjoy Heinz soups. They're "soup" as a first course—marvellous in meat loaves, pies and rarebits. Ask your grocer for Heinz Soups. You know they're good because they're Heinz.

Don't Give Up those marvellous detergents just because they're drying to your hands. You can feel perfectly relaxed about using them if you smoo-th your hands with JERGENS LOTION afterwards. I keep a bottle of Jergens Lotion in my kitchen—always—and in my bathroom, too—and use it between chores. It doesn't slow me down because it's never sticky or greasy. It's soothing, smoothing liquid that quickly supplies the softening moisture that dry, thirsty skin needs. Yes, you'll find when you use Jergens Lotion regularly that your hands will be soft and smooth as a baby's skin—always. You'll love Jergens Lotion! Ask for it—just 15¢, 37¢, 65¢ and \$1.15.

Pretty Important To A Man—sparkling white shirt! So you can take a bow when your husband raves about the whiteness of his! But give some of the credit to Blue—for Blue does the best job of all in keeping your clothes from turning yellow. Just a swish or two of Blue in the final rinsing—that's all there is to it. And it's so safe for the fine fabrics in your wash! Those wonderful sheets you got for your anniversary—the luncheon set that's your pride and joy... don't take chances—use Blue to keep them white! Costs just a few pennies a month—and that makes good sense, doesn't it?

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Hang Some Gay Decorations—but on a pretty dress—a d have fun at your youngsters' parties. It's easy to do when you're not all worn out from fussing over "fussy" food. Simply make something easy yet so delicious with wonderful JELL-O PUDDINGS. Here's a recipe that's always a party-success—yet economical and simple to prepare...

Home From The Office Or From Shopping... feeling weary 'n' won't! Then I'd suggest you "perk-me-up" I know... INSTANT CHASE & SANBORN COFFEE. It's quick and easy to make—takes no longer than boiling the water—so there isn't long to wait before you can enjoy its full-bodied goodness. M-m-m-m... isn't it good? The flavour's there—and the real lift... thanks to the Chase & Sanborn coffee-experts. I always keep a jar of Instant Chase & Sanborn handy in my pantry when guests drop in. You see, it's as easy to make ten cups as one. And economical—for there's no waste.

I Hope You've Never Had Any Valuables Stolen Or Lost through fire... it's such an unhappy experience. But I do know one way to avoid it! So simple—so convenient and so inexpensive... just store your precious possessions in a Safety Deposit Box at the BANK OF MONTREAL. Then, when you go visiting for a night or a week—you can be perfectly relaxed in the thought that they're safe as can be! I find my B.O.M. Safety Deposit Box a wonderful aid to my peace of mind. Why not gather your valuable papers and keepsakes together today... and take them down to your neighbourhood branch of the B.O.M. It takes just minutes to rent a Safety Deposit Box... and costs less than two cents a day!

Be sure to read this column next week for full details of the exciting new \$5,000.00 Contest.

Between Ourselves

By ELIZABETH FORBES

In her address at Women's Canadian Club in the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Kate Aitken left the thought that Canadian women were paying too much attention to the little things of life. That they were by-passing an interest in public affairs.

But in the evening, at a public meeting sponsored by Local Council of Women and the Victoria Branch, Canadian Association of Consumers, Mrs. Aitken proved to be as much interested in the "little things" as any other Canadian woman.

She was wearing an informal evening gown—navy lace over rose taffeta, in the new ankle length—brilliant clips at the rounded neckline, brilliant neck and bracelets, high-heeled silver slippers and a gardenia corsage. But she might just as easily have been gowned in a gingham dress and a big white kitchen apron.

And her talk was so informal it could have been taking place between neighbors, over the back fence, or perhaps in a warm kitchen over a cup of tea.

Kate Aitken swapped ideas with her audience, who filled the Victoria Business and Professional Women's clubroom on Government Street.

She told them how her mother taught her to cook, when she was a small girl in a home where there were five older brothers and several other boarders present for every meal.

"I liked cooking then and I still like it," she said.

And it was easy to see she meant it.

The talk flowed back and forth between the audience and the speaker.

On the merits of the pressure cooker (which Mrs. Aitken said she did not like). On how to make good gravy, with the cheaper cuts of meat.

Kate Aitken's answer to this was "patience."

"Stir your gravy for five to eight minutes," she said, "it will be good and it will turn brown."

She also said that she uses the potato water—or the water off other vegetables for her gravies.

Thinking of Patches With New Dress

Talking of clothes, Kate Aitken was all for getting patterns, using Canadian materials, and sewing at home.

And she passed out a hint about patches that had the young mothers nodding their heads in accord.

Take a patch of the new material, she said, sew it into the hem of the dress you are making. It will be washed as the dress is washed and will fade the same color as the dress. Then, when a patch is needed it won't stand out like "a sore thumb."

In another useful hint, given with a friendly smile and nod of the head she told how to lengthen the wear of nylon hose.

Place in a glass container, she said, a quart of water, a tablespoon of Epsom Salts and a tablespoon of soap flakes. Shake your stockings in this mixture for a few moments. Take 'em out, don't rinse, don't wring. Place them, somewhere, dripping wet, to dry.

Don't ever rub or squeeze.

Stockings washed this way will last much longer, she said, and up to the 32nd washing should get stronger.

It was a homey, happy evening. Everyone smiled. Everyone was happy.

And it proved that, whatever Mrs. Aitken may think regarding Canadian women taking their proper place in public affairs, she also is very much interested in Canadian women knowing about the "little things in life."

The things that make for good talk and better listening when the tea cups are out and the kettle is boiling.

Perhaps what Mrs. Aitken was really trying to put across in her short visit in this city and her two addresses is that to take their proper places in the affairs of Canada, women must have an "all-round" knowledge of both little and big things which affect their lives.

That Canadian women must be able first to run their own affairs—and their own homes—properly. Then they will be ready to take their place in the wider aspects of Canadian life.

OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Canadian Club Tea

Guests at the Canadian Club executive tea in the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon in honor of their guest speaker, Mrs. Kate Aitken, were Mrs. S. Keate, Mrs. H. L. Smith, Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Mrs. E. S. Farr, Mrs. Gordon Wismer, Mrs. A. M. Butterfield, Mrs. V. L. Annett, Mrs. Bruce Hutchison, Mrs. J. L. Muirhead, Mrs. Olga Jardine, Mrs. A. C. Pollard, Mrs. R. T. Wallace, Mrs. E. E. Livesey, Hon. Nancy Hodges, Mrs. W. B. Milburn, Mrs. H. L. Campbell, Mrs. Alan Campbell and Mrs. S. J. Willis.

Margaret Loudoun Feted

Mrs. W. R. Loudoun and Mrs. Alma Wilson were co-hostesses at a buffet supper and pantry shower Tuesday evening in the Oak Bay Avenue home of the latter in honor of Miss Margaret Loudoun, February bride-elect.

The guest of honor was presented with a corsage of red roses and her future mother-in-law, Mrs. C. R. Hind, received pink carnations and freesia. Gifts were concealed in a decorated basket and a decorated cake centred the lace-covered refreshment table. Guests numbered 12.

For Miss Erica Hamilton

Honoring Miss Erica Hamilton, Miss Emily Kaltenbach entertained recently at the home of Mrs. William Bremner, Royal Oak. Cocktails were served and gifts were concealed in a valentine shower box decorated in red and white and trimmed with pussy-willow.

A shower cake centred the refreshment table and corsages fashioned with a camellia surrounded by red hearts were presented to the bride-elect, her mother, Mrs. A. F. Hamilton and Mrs. L. Billinghurst who presided at the tea table.

Other guests were Mesdames Joan Toit, Pat Crosby, Misses Alice Johnston, Louise Sangster, Margot Boughton and Edith Smith.

Honored By Fellow Members

Miss Margaret Fitzgerald, bride-elect of this month, was honored at a surprise shower recently when her fellow members in the Thunderbird Squadron Junior Chapter gathered in the Foul Bay Road home of their regent, Miss Burl Hanneson.

The guest of honor was presented with a corsage of yellow roses and received many gifts.

Guests were Mrs. W. J. Fitzgerald, Misses Edna Reid, Frances Forbes, Nancy Camus, Jane Line, Barbara Rennie, Marilyn MacLeod and Valerie Cameron.

Airwoman Evelyn Cox who left Victoria last July for service in the R.C.A.F., is home on leave visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. W. Cox, 1828 St. Ann Street, Oak Bay.

P.T.A. Notes

Central—Marking the first anniversary of their initial meeting, members of Central Junior High P.T.A. will meet Tuesday at 8 in the school library, west building.

Ormond Street entrance. Speaker will be Keith McDonald, public health educator, Health Centre. His topic will be "What I Expect of My Health Department."

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En Route Home Following Visit In Britain

Miss J. C. Tupper, Luxton Avenue, sister of Sir Charles Tupper, Winnipeg, is shown on the liner Franconia at Halifax following her trip from Britain. She is being greeted by another westerner, Fay McKenzie, right, passenger traffic manager of Canadian National Railways, formerly of Winnipeg, and J. S. McDonald, general passenger agent for the railway. Miss Tupper is visiting in Toronto and is expected in this city later this month. (C.N.R. Photo.)

Burl Hanneson Re-Elected Regent Of Junior Chapter

At the annual meeting of Thunderbird Squadron Junior Chapter, I.O.D.E., held last evening in the Strathcona Hotel, Miss Burl Hanneson was re-elected regent.

Other officers are Vera Flett, first vice-regent; Beverly Mitchell, second; Shirley Alexander, secretary; Valerie Cameron, treasurer; Frances Forbes, educational secretary; Edna Reid, Echoes, and Nancy Camus, standard bearer.

Jane Line and Vera Flett are councillors.

Marilyn MacLeod, in her secretary's report, stated that stuffed animals had been made and sent to the Protestant Orphanage, food parcels sent overseas and a hamper donated to a needy family during the holiday season.

In the line of educational work the chapter sent pictures to the school on Cortez Island where Patricia Fuller, one of their members, is teaching.

Total receipts were \$57.09 and total disbursements \$55.69, reported the treasurer, Valerie Cameron.

Other reports were given by Mrs. Ralph Alexander, child and family welfare; Frances Forbes, educational; Edna Reid, Echoes; Nancy Camus, postwar convener. Beverly Mitchell gave the standard bearer's report for Josephine Sanders.

Invited guests were Mrs. O. B. Ormond, Mrs. H. D. Parizeau, Mrs. J. W. Van Norman, Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps and Miss Kathleen Agnew.

Aldyen Hamber Chapter Met On Order's 52nd Anniversary

A buffet supper in the Cranmore Road home of Mrs. A. W. E. Pitkethley, regent of the Aldyen Hamber Chapter, I.O.D.E., last evening, preceded their annual meeting held on the 52nd anniversary of the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire.

At this meeting, Mrs. H. B. McClung was elected regent. Also on the executive for 1952-53 are Mrs. M. Campbell, first vice-regent; Mrs. J. Gosley, second; Miss Peggy MacNeill, secretary; Mrs. Pitkethley, educational; Mrs. H. Langton, Echoes; Mrs. W. Fraser, treasurer; and Mrs. G. Laird, standard bearer.

One of their outstanding projects during the war was reported by Mrs. McClung, child and family welfare convener. She stated that \$337.45 had been devoted to this work.

Mrs. J. E. Moore, secretary, reported that activities had included a penny sale in conjunction with the Navy League Chapter, a Valentine party for the children in the Protestant Orphanage and a "Jumble sale."

In her treasurer's report, Mrs. Campbell stated that total receipts were \$669.63 and total disbursements, \$670.94.

Reports were also given by Mrs. Laird, standard bearer; Miss Mac-

The Ladies' Auxiliary to St. John's Scout and Cub Association anniversary tea, Wednesday, 2:30 to 5:30, in Fireside Room, new parish hall, Balmoral Road.

Ethel Kitts Wed At Nuptial Service At Langley Prairie

A three-tier cake made by the bride's younger sister, Mrs. W. Phillips, centred the table at the reception immediately following this afternoon's wedding at Langley Prairie, which united in marriage Ethel Winnifred Kitts, Cook Street, Victoria, and G. R. Purdy, Kinsistino, Sask.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. J. D. Kitts, Langley Prairie, and the late Mrs. Kitts.

Rev. B. N. Hattley solemnized the nuptial service in Sperling United Church, Langley Prairie.

Traditional organ music was played as the bride, escorted by her father, walked up the aisle.

Her blue gabardine semi-tailored suit was accented with a darker blue hat and pink blouse. She wore a corsage of pink sweetheart roses and lily-of-the-valley and carried a white Bible.

Mrs. George Campbell, Langley Prairie, was matron of honor for her sister, wearing a grey dress with complementing accessories and a pink corsage.

Pale yellow taffeta fashioned

Luncheon—The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Capital City Yacht Club held a business luncheon in the Y.W.C.A. recently with Mrs. E. H. Henshall presiding. New members were Mesdames G. Smith, C. Connorton and H. C. Cross. Guests were Mesdames R. Proctor and H. A. Blodgett.

To Celebrate Birthday

Capital City No. 35, Pythian Sisters will celebrate their 13th birthday with the official visit of Grand Chief Sister Beduz Tuesday in K. of P. Hall, Cormorant Street. Information will be collected for Secret Pal Club.

CLUB CALENDAR

Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., Monday, 7:30, at headquarters. . . First Baptist Church, Women's Union, Valentine tea, February 21, at 2:30, lower auditorium.

Women's Benefit Association, Review No. 1, K. of P. Hall, Monday at 7:30.

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Canadian Women Lagging In Interest In Public Affairs, Kate Aitken Says

Mrs. Kate Aitken, well-known radio commentator, newspaper woman and world traveler, told Women's Canadian Club yesterday afternoon that Canadian women are allowing the "little things of life" to clutter up their minds and crowd out more important thoughts.

"Canadian women are obsessed with community halls, new carpets and new gowns for churches and church choirs. But they are ignoring the deeper aspects of life," she said.

The speaker told her audience of more than 400 women that in recent years in Britain and on the continent, which she visits on an average of once every six weeks in the course of her work, she has found the women far better informed on current trends than the women of Canada.

She urged women to seek of

fice in civic politics, and on boards and councils.

"If Canadian women will accept the vicissitudes of public life," she said, "there are great rewards for them."

Mrs. Aitken spoke of the women of Western Germany, who "have gone political while their men have turned to economics."

"There are 587 women's political clubs in Western Europe," she said.

Speaking of Communism, Mrs. Aitken called it a "religion."

"When we talk of wiping it out," she said seriously, "we must remember that Communists have one passion. That is, for the state."

The speaker spiced her talk with anecdotes and descriptions of "flying" trips she had made to out-of-the-way places in Canada, where industry is flourishing, including the iron ore development in Ungava, the new copper mines of northern Manitoba, uranium developments in Saskatchewan, oil at Fort St. John and the work going on in northern B.C.

President Mrs. W. H. Wilson introduced and thanked the speaker. Also seated on the platform was Hon. Nancy Hodges, Speaker of the Legislature, on her first visit to the club since she was made an honorary member, in absentia, a short time ago.

Mrs. H. Lethaby To Convene Tea

Victoria Women's Progressive Conservative Association is planning a silver tea to take place Feb. 22 at the home of Mrs. C. L. Aylard, 510 St. Charles Street.

Convenor is Mrs. Hubert Lethaby.

Feature of the afternoon will be vocal selections by Mrs. Walter Marmo, accompanied by Miss Barbara Fraser.

Official Visitor

Island Temple, No. 8, Pythian Sisters, met recently and it was announced that Mrs. Evelyn Beduz, grand chief, will pay her official visit and annual inspection in March. Mrs. W. McKellar, Vancouver, was a visitor at the meeting. A Valentine card party was convened by Mrs. Connie Mullen and her committee after the meeting.

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above deceased, who died on or about the
20th day of December, 1951, at Port Ren-
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required to send to the undersigned on
or before the 21st day of March, 1952,
their names, addresses and occupations
and full particulars in writing of their
claims and demands verified by Statutory
Declaration.
After the said 21st day of March, 1952,
the undersigned will proceed to distribute
the assets of the said estate among the
persons entitled thereto, having regard
only to the claims and demands of which
he then shall have had notice, and that
he will proceed to make final distribution
of the assets at the expiration of one year
after the death of the deceased.
Dated at Victoria, B.C. this 14th day
of February, 1952.
R. L. COOK, Official Administrator,
Administrator of the estate of the above
named deceased, 519 Central Building,
Victoria, B.C.

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above named deceased, who died on or
about the 12th day of December, 1951, at
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of their claims and demands verified by
Statutory Declaration.
After the said 21st day of March, 1952,
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the assets of the said estate among the
persons entitled thereto, having regard
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Sealed tenders in envelopes marked
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such contract within the time stipulated
in the conditions.
Tenderers are required to submit tend-
ers on any or all of the following basis:
(a) Flat sum for each year of the
contract.
(b) A percentage of the gross sales with
a guarantee of a minimum annual
amount.
(c) A percentage of the gross sales with
a guarantee of a minimum annual
amount.
(d) A combination of any two or more
of the above.
Copies of the list of conditions and
other relevant information may be ob-
tained upon application to the manager
of the Victoria Memorial Arena. The
highest and/or tender not necessarily ac-
cepted.
Dated February 9, 1952.
J. DUKOWSKI, Manager,
Victoria Memorial Arena.

BEDTIME STORY

by Thornton W. Burgess
Spooky the Screech Owl, who, except for size, looks so much like his big cousin, Hooty the Great Horned Owl, had moved into an empty apartment in the big apartment tree in the Green Forest. It was in the lower part of the tree and had been made long ago by Yellowwing the Flicker. Mr. and Mrs. Yellowwing had occupied it only one season. Chatterer the Red Squirrel had stored a lot of acorns in it one fall. Since then it had been empty.
It was quite by accident that Spooky had discovered it. Passing the big dead tree with many holes in it, he happened to notice the hole lowest down. It looked inviting; why bother to go home if he could spend the day comfortably there in this place. He stopped to have a look. The doorway was just big enough for him to slip through easily. The apartment was empty. He found it very comfortable and much to his liking. Timmy had discovered the new unwelcome tenant in the big apartment tree the very first night he was there. He had warned all the other Squirrel folk. So they all had stayed in their homes until after Spooky had started out hunting, and they were all safely back inside before Spooky returned at dawn. So it was a week before Spooky saw any of those little Squirrels. Even then he didn't guess that they were close neighbors. Just by chance he happened to discover his small neighbors in fur having a merry frolic in the moonlight at an opening among the trees. They were jumping and gliding across the opening as only Flying Squirrels can. Spooky wasted no time, he was hungry. He swooped at one of the gliders and missed him. Instantly, all the gliders disappeared. Spooky hid among the upper branches of a spruce tree. He kept perfectly still. Presently, a Squirrel glided across the opening. Then another did the same thing, and another, and another. In a few minutes the air seemed to be full of little Squirrels jumping and gliding in all directions. Spooky swooped at one who came jumping near. He wasn't quite quick enough. Once more he hid and waited. The same thing hap-
pened over again. It happened again and again. Finally Spooky gave up in disgust. He didn't know that those lively little gliders knew all the time where he was hiding, and were simply teasing him.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the time limited by the Standing Orders of the House for receiving Petitions will expire on Thursday, the twenty-eighth day of February, 1952.
DATED the 14th day of January, A.D. 1952.
EDWIN K. DE BECK,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that cred-
itors and others having claims against the
estate of the above deceased are hereby
required to send them to the undersigned
administrator at 1911 Government Street,
Victoria, B.C., before the 15th day of
March, 1952. After which date the admin-
istrator will distribute the said estate
among the parties entitled thereto, having
regard only to the claims of which it then
has notice.

THE NORTHERN TRUSTS COMPANY,
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Its Solicitors.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
ESTATE OF JAMES L. GLENTON,
Deceased.
All creditors and persons having claims
or demands against the estate of the
above deceased, who died on or about the
20th day of December, 1951, at Port Ren-
frew, Province of British Columbia, are
required to send to the undersigned on
or before the 21st day of March, 1952,
their names, addresses and occupations
and full particulars in writing of their
claims and demands verified by Statutory
Declaration.
After the said 21st day of March, 1952,
the undersigned will proceed to distribute
the assets of the said estate among the
persons entitled thereto, having regard
only to the claims and demands of which
he then shall have had notice, and that
he will proceed to make final distribution
of the assets at the expiration of one year
after the death of the deceased.
Dated at Victoria, B.C. this 14th day
of February, 1952.
R. L. COOK, Official Administrator,
Administrator of the estate of the above
named deceased, 519 Central Building,
Victoria, B.C.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
ESTATE OF JAMES KENNEDY, Deceased.
All creditors and persons having claims
or demands against the estate of the
above named deceased, who died on or
about the 12th day of December, 1951, at
the City of Victoria, Province of British
Columbia, are required to send to the
undersigned on or before the 21st day of
March, 1952, their names, addresses and
occupations and full particulars in writing
of their claims and demands verified by
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Dated at Victoria, B.C. this 14th day
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Victoria Memorial Arena

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Sealed tenders in envelopes marked
"Concession Tender" will be received at
the office of the Victoria Memorial Arena
Commission at 1925 Blanshard Street,
Victoria, B.C., not later than 2 p.m. Fri-
day, the 29th day of February, 1952. For
the exclusive concession to supply refresh-
ments at the Arena during a period of
two years from the date of the contract
on the terms and conditions stipulated in
the list of conditions signed by the man-
ager of the Victoria Memorial Arena.
Each tender must be accompanied by
a certified cheque for the sum of \$500
which will be returned to each unsuccess-
ful tenderer and to the successful ten-
derer upon entering into and completing
a contract in accordance with his tender,
but such sum will be retained by the Vic-
toria Memorial Arena Commission if the
successful tenderer does not enter into
such contract within the time stipulated
in the conditions.
Tenderers are required to submit tend-
ers on any or all of the following basis:
(a) Flat sum for each year of the
contract.
(b) A percentage of the gross sales with
a guarantee of a minimum annual
amount.
(c) A percentage of the gross sales with
a guarantee of a minimum annual
amount.
(d) A combination of any two or more
of the above.
Copies of the list of conditions and
other relevant information may be ob-
tained upon application to the manager
of the Victoria Memorial Arena. The
highest and/or tender not necessarily ac-
cepted.
Dated February 9, 1952.
J. DUKOWSKI, Manager,
Victoria Memorial Arena.

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BOWLING SCORES

GIBSON'S BOWLADROME
MIXED FIFTEEN LEAGUE
King Pins—A. R. R. 335, J. Randall 304,
Laurier 316, R. Pugh 437, L. Larson 621,
R. J. J. 526. Game totals: 526, 551,
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Outlaw—A. Lucky 462, M. V. 418,
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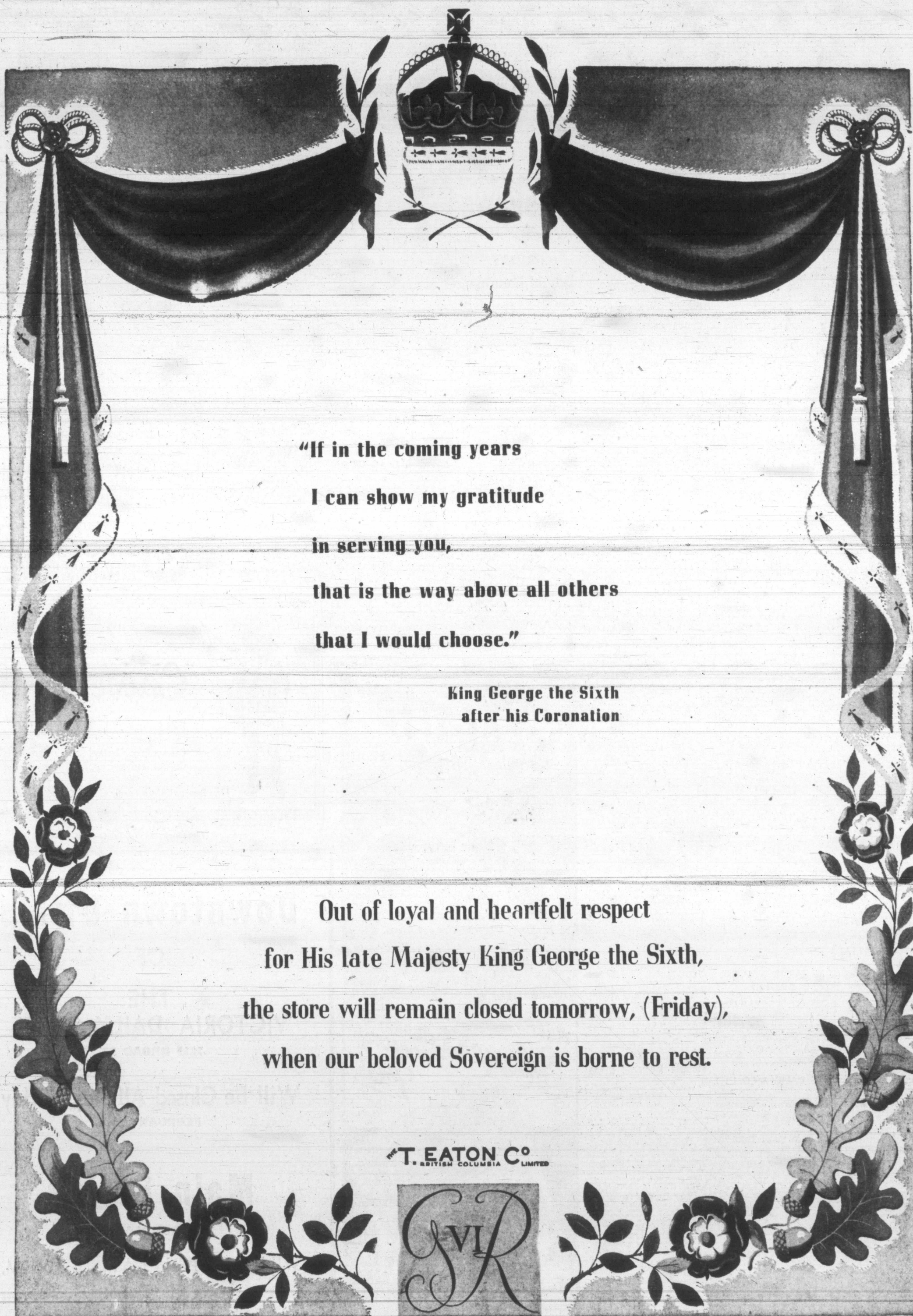
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END OF SUPERVISED STRIKE VOTE PROPOSED



Have A Heart, Officer

It wasn't really bribery. But pretty, 22-year-old Gloria Dewar is offering her Valentine Day heart to Constable Keith Hollett. It was supposed to soften his

resolve to write a ticket for overtime parking. Men bought most of the St. Valentine's cards. City stores reported a boom. (Times Photo.)

Operations Of Alleged Bookmakers Outlined

Prosecutor Claims Two Factions Conspired To Control Racing Wagering In Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Feb. 14 (CP)—Prosecutor Gordon W. Scott said in Assize Court today the crown will prove that two bookmaking factions conspired with horse race publishing business to control betting in Vancouver during the last eight years.

Involved in this setup were the 26 men and one woman charged with conspiring to operate betting houses, the prosecutor said in his hour-long address to the 10-man, two-woman jury.

It took two days to choose the jury from among 400 citizens and the trial proper got under way this morning. It is expected to last about three weeks.

Mr. Scott outlined briefly the activities of Robert S. (Blackie) Black-James, Robertson group; Leo Bancroft-Bruce Snider operation, and the publishing operations of E. Massie White, Laura and Philip Cook.

The crown will produce evidence that all these people con-

spired together to keep betting houses in Vancouver," said Scott. He added that the evidence was a whole would show "that the bookmakers and the publishers are entirely interdependent; that a bookie can not carry on his business successfully without the aid of publications and that the publishing business could not possibly exist without the bookmakers' patronage."

He said the offices for four telephones were listed to two music studios, a dressmaker and a public stenographer.

Scott said there was no dressmaking equipment, typewriter or pianos in the premises, Entry to it was gained through a trap-

Clues Thought To Be Found

ELIZABETH, N.J., Feb. 14 (UP)—A Civil Aeronautics Authority spokesman said today that investigators had found possible clues to the cause of the third major airlines crash in this city within two months.

"This is one crash we've gotten somewhere on," he said as he called newsmen to a press conference. Other indications that progress had been made in the inquiry into the Feb. 11 crash that killed 32 persons were given last night by Joseph O. Fluet, Civil Aeronautics Board chief investigator in region 1.

Fluet said he and his assistants were investigating the possibility that the National Airlines DC-6 which hit an apartment building and fell in flames on a children's playground had been fueled with low-grade gasoline.

SELECTIONS

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FAIR GROUNDS

1—Temp's Me, Rosie N.M., Enthusiast.
2—Cross Wise, Mrs. Valenti, Brave L.
3—Toss Shrek, Our Buck, Silent Miffo.
4—Vibrato, Apple Butter, Jimmy's.
5—Crazy Legs, Nayvorby, Shorfit.
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Commonwealth Prepares To Pay Final Tribute

Requiem Salutes Across Canada

A great silence, broken only by 56-gun salutes in major cities, will stretch across the nation tomorrow in tribute to King George VI.

It will be a day of prayer and all the bustle of the late monarch's busiest realm will stop serenely as he is laid to rest in England.

From the smallest logging camp in British Columbia to the largest trawler off Newfoundland's Grand Banks Canadians will pay homage to the "good man" who was King for 15 years.

The national day of mourning will begin even before the King's funeral cortege moves out of stately Westminster Hall.

Church bells will be tolling out a solemn tribute in Newfoundland at midnight, just as the grey dawn breaks on saddened London.

In Victoria, Edmonton, Regina, Winnipeg, Toronto, Quebec City, Fredericton, Charlottetown, Halifax and St. John's, and in the non-capital cities of Vancouver and Ottawa, the command will be the same.

"The King, our captain-general, is dead. Requiem salute. Fifty-six-gun salute. Sixty-second intervals. Fire."

And for the next 36 minutes—one for each year of the monarch's life of devotion to his subjects—the salute will "thunder out."

Silence and mass prayer will follow.

A British United Press survey showed today that schools, banks, government offices, liquor outlets, major stores and most private offices will close in all 10 provinces.

Special memorial services will be held in every city. Fourteen thousand persons are expected to attend mass prayers at Toronto's Maple Leaf Gardens, another 7,500 at the Edmonton Arena, and still another 4,400 at the Winnipeg Civic Auditorium.

House of Commons workmen today began draping the high-

arched hall of fame at Ottawa in purple and black crepe in case adverse weather forces the national mourning service indoors.

SPECIAL ISSUE EXTRA COPIES TO BE PRINTED

On the national day of mourning tomorrow for King George VI, the regular edition of The Victoria Times will carry a memorial account of the funeral services in England and special picture pages of the week's events since the monarch's death. Non-subscribers may obtain copies at newsstands and from carriers who will have extras when delivering their routes.

HOUSE TO GET FULL REPORT NEXT WEEK

B.C.H.I.S. Economies Recommended

By GORDON FORBES

Removal of co-insurance from B.C.'s highly controversial hospital insurance plan is one of the important recommendations of a special legislative committee which has been studying the problem for last year, it was learned today.

The committee's report will be tabled in the Legislature next week.

Co-insurance was imposed in the insurance plan last year as one of the provisions to balance up its finances. It provides that a patient must pay a proportion of his hospital bill for the first 10 days stay, up to a maximum of \$35. Rates vary according to hospital.

It had the two-fold object of curbing unnecessary visits to hospital—since patients are faced with paying out some cash—and of collecting a bit more of hospital costs from those who actually use the hospital beds.

From the start it was an unpopular feature of the insurance scheme, not only to the public generally, but to hospital administrative staff, who had to go back into the bill collecting business which they had just about escaped under universal insurance.

The committee, however, has found that it did not achieve the real purpose for which it was introduced, and in addition, has helped make the insurance plan unpopular.

It is recommending that the co-insurance feature be dropped. The funds lost through this means would be made up by a complete overhaul of the administrative set-up on hospital insurance designed to slash costs to the bone.

Vancouver Stocks

Little activity showed up in stock trading on the Vancouver exchange during the late session today and most western oils and mines closed unsteady.

In the mines Kootenay Belle continued to show strength, up to 92 cents, a gain of 5 cents over Wednesday's close. Quatsino advanced in trading slightly to 62 cents to recover earlier loss of a couple of points. Western Uranium, Cronin Babine and Kootenay base metals were unchanged.

Till Carried Off, Smashed For Cash

CAMPBELL RIVER — Gavin Wood's electrical equipment store in the I.A.C. Block was robbed of \$50 in cash Wednesday night.

Entry was gained through a window at the rear, and the till was carried to a nearby vacant lot, where it was broken open. The cash register was damaged to the extent of \$150.

Police are searching for the thieves. The store owner, Gavin Wood, said he was not hurt and no other property was lost.

Queen Visits King's Bier

LONDON, Feb. 14 (AP)—Queen Elizabeth II made a surprise visit to Westminster Hall tonight to join with her people in paying tribute to the King.

She was accompanied to Westminster, where the body lay in state, by her husband, the Duke of Edinburgh and her sister, Princess Margaret. Neither the Queen nor her sister wore veils.

They were unnoticed by the crowd moving slowly past the catafalque. They stood for 10 minutes beneath a doorway.

Earlier, the Archbishop of Canterbury, Britain's foremost Anglican churchman, bowed in prayer beside the closed coffin.

Sorrowing Britons continued to pay their respects in such numbers that palace officials decided not to shut the great iron-strapped doors of the nine-century-old hall until 6 a.m. Friday.

This is only three and one-half hours before the ceremonial cortege starts for Paddington Station amid the dirges of massed bands and artillery salutes of the state funeral. Originally, it was planned to close the doors at 10 tonight.

Before that hour, it was reported without confirmation that the Duke of Windsor asked to be allowed to stand a watch at the candle-lighting bier, as he and his three brothers did 16 years ago for their father, King George V.

The Duke, who arrived from New York Wednesday, was said to have besought Queen Elizabeth II for Royal permission to stand beside the body of the brother to whom he relinquished the throne.

As the greying Dr. Geoffrey Fisher, Archbishop of Canterbury, bowed for a few minutes in front of the purple-draped catafalque and then turned away through the famed stair chamber door, palace officials put their seal to the final order of the funeral march.

The young Queen, her mother, and her sister, Princess Margaret, and the King's sister, Princess Royal, will ride in a carriage close behind the body.

Throughout the lying-in-state and the services at Windsor the coffin is kept closed, as is traditional at the funeral of kings.

Saanich Men Face Further Theft Charges

Bail was set at \$2,000 each in Saanich police court this afternoon for two 21-year-old Saanich men charged in connection with the recent recovery of close to \$1,500 worth of goods believed to have been stolen in various Island centres.

Charged are Robert James Blythe, Elk Lake, and Donald Cousens, West Saanich Road.

Both have been charged jointly with retaining stolen property under the value of \$25. Today they were further charged jointly with theft of another article.

Charges arose from a series of thefts from communities between Sidney and Comox and Courtenay. Reliable sources say charges against the same accused likely will be laid by the R.C.M.P. (See story page 11.)

Labor Code Committee Favors New Formula

By GORDON FORBES, Times Legislative Reporter

Abolition of the government-supervised strike vote is one of the main recommendations made by the special House committee which inquired into the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, it was learned today.

The lengthy report has been submitted by Arthur Ash, Saanich M.L.A., chairman, and will be tabled in the House.

Under the committee's proposal, the government would withdraw from actually running the vote, but would still scrutinize it. If union operation of the vote was considered unsuitable, the Labor Relations Board would have the right to order a new vote.

Implementation of this recommendation by the government would be a great victory for organized labor which has always opposed the government-supervised strike. It has been contended it is an infringement on labor's rights.

The inquiry committee also has recommended creation of a labor-management council to bring about mutual understanding. It also thinks the L.R.B. shouldn't be called upon to decide jurisdiction in any plans.

Another recommendation calls for wiping out the section of the act which allows the L.R.B. to go over the heads of union leaders and order a strike when an offer of settlement has been made. A majority of the committee felt this section contrary to the principle of collective bargaining.

FINAL BULLETINS

Romans Leads In Texas Open

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Feb. 14 (AP)—Walter Romans of Baltimore, Maryland, turned in a seven-under-par 64 today to lead early finishers in the first round of the \$10,000 Texas Open.

Skater To Carry Canadian Flag

OSLO, Feb. 14 (CP)—Gordon Audley, 23-year-old railway worker from Winnipeg, will carry the Canadian flag at the ceremonies officially opening the sixth winter Olympic Games Friday.

Selection of Audley, member of Canada's speed-skating team, was announced tonight.

The ceremonies will be held at Bislett Stadium in downtown Oslo.

There will be a one-minute silence during the impressive ceremonies as a mark of respect for King George VI, who died at Sandringham last week.

3 Youths Charged With Theft

TIMMINS, Ont., Feb. 14 (CP)—Three Timmins youths were arrested early today and charged with armed robbery in connection with the theft Tuesday of gold precipitates from the nearby Auror gold mines.

Police recovered \$30,000 in gold precipitates under the back step of an unidentified Timmins home.

In police custody are Calvin Crank, 21, an employee of the company; Kenneth Eastman, 19, a grocery store clerk, and Reuben Urtainen, 20, a hardware store clerk.

Crew Reported Abandoning Ship

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 14 (AP)—The Coast Guard said today a freighter was on fire off the west coast of Cuba and that the crew was abandoning ship.

Coast Guard air sea rescue headquarters reported an SOS picked up at Richmond identified the ship as the S.S. George Duketon. Her position was given as about 68 miles west of Havana, Cuba, and seven miles offshore.

RED SPORTS SCANDAL

Non-Existent Athletes Make Claim To Records

MOSCOW, Feb. 14 (AP)—The newspaper Soviet Sport came up today with a wholesale sports scandal. It charged officials in the Volga River city of Kostroma with cooking up fake records for their athletes in 1950 in order to make a good national showing.

Vladimir Indin, correspondent of Soviet Sports, wrote that Kostroma officials not only faked times to make runners look faster in official records, but entered names of athletes who don't exist.

He also reported Kostroma's swimmers swam down the Volga with the current to better their time records.

Russia holds annual competitive athletic meetings over the entire country. Athletic authorities in Moscow require that accurate records be sent in to headquarters here.

(The U.S.S.R. will compete in the Olympic Games at Helsinki, Finland, for the first time next summer. Last year Russia claimed world records for two track and field events.)

Picked out m' Valentine fer Doug Abbott. It's a little message askin' him t' have a heart next tax-payin' day.

If th' buses came along as fast as requests for late increases, we'd all get home fer supper earlier.